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STEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

The debt of the city of Paris now exceeds fifty-six million dollars. A girl bitten by a skunk died in great agony in Tom Green county, Texas. Four hundred thousand persons are employed upon the railroads of this

Texas has 3,674,000 sheep.

country. Each individual in a partnership is re-sponsible for the whole amount of the debts of the firm.

For the first time in the history of the country we are sending abroad more food than fabries.

Soythes have undergone no radical change in form since they were first made, 223 years ago. Ex ensive preparations are being made in California to view the eclipse of the sun, which will be visible in that State

next January. A poor fisherman at Tallahassee, Fla., while digging worms for bait the other day, came upon an old brass kettle con-

taining \$1,400 in gold coin, A carrier pigeon, belonging to parties in Trenton, N. J., has made the flight from Binghamton to Trenton, 208 miles, in two hours and forty minutes,

The first railroad in Palestine has been contracted for between Jaffa and Jerusa-lem, forty miles. The contractor is re-ported to be G. F. D. Lovell, a resident

of Cincinnati. Virginia still retains her right to be considered the mother of statesmen, if Congressmen can be so considered, for there are twenty-two members of the

present Congress who were born in her The Gloucester (Mass.) fishermen are very indignant at an interference with their rights under the Washington treaty

by the inhabitants of Cape Breton, by refusing to allow bait to be caught in their waters. The fastest one hundred yards ever run by an athlete was accomplished by George Seward, in England over twenty years ago. He covered the distance in

the unprecedented time of nine and a quarter seconds. The leg of Mrs. H. A. Doty, a well-known lady of Bloomington, Ill., was broken by the contraction of muscles, resulting from inflammatory rheumatism. The case is considered very re-

markable by the physicians.

There exists in England a catalogue of a Babylonian library, compiled over 4,000 years ago, appended to which are directions to the student to write down and hand to the librarian the number of the book he wishes to consult, the same

as in modern libraries. It is estimated that six countries in Europe will this year be compelled to buy three hundred million bushels of wheat, and that France and England will

need three-fourths of this quantity, while France's share alone will cost her one milliard francs, or a fifth of the sum of her famous ransom. This means prosperity for the American farmer.

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Talmage is criticised by the Glasgow Mail: The delivery of the lecture was slow and measured in its commencement, gradually increasing in strength and time; his tone slightly harsh and his accept Yankee; his style rough and bold, the language at times pithy and poetical, at others coarse and vulgar; his pronunciation execrable; his gesture

redundant.

Bombay, with a population of 650,000 and an average to the square mile exceeding London, is the second city in the British empire in point of numbers. The average death rate for the past five years has been about the same as London. The people are tall, thin and stately in appearance, with fine, intelligent eyes. The city stands on an island, joined by an embankment to the mainland.

maximum.

Wm. Sawyer, aged seventeen, and Maggie Haggert, aged fifteen, eloped together from Gloversville, N. Y., some time ago, and were chased twenty-four hours by her father and an officer, whom they eluded, and were married. Last Saturday the bride was sent need to the Western house of refuge by a Utica magistrate, on the complaint of her husband that she was a vagrant, having no means of support.

The Good Old Farm. There's got to be a revival Of good sound sense among men, Before the days of prosperity Will dawn upon us again; The boys must learn that learnin' Means more'n the essence uv books And the girls must learn that beauty Consists in more'n their looks.

Before we can steer clear uv failures And big financial alarms, The boys have got to quit clerkin', And git back on to our farms. I know it ain't quite so nobby, It ain't quite so easy. I know, Ez partin' your hair in the middle An' settin' up for a show.

Dut there's more hard dollars in it. And more independence, too, And more real peace 'n contentment, And health that is ruddy and true. I know it takes years of labor; But you've got to hang on in a store Before you can earn a good livin' And clothes, with but little more.

And you steer well clear uv temptation On the good old honest farm, And a thousand ways 'n fashions That only bring ye to harm. There ain't but a few that can handle With safety other men's cash. And the fate of many who would try it Proves human natur is rash.

So, when the road of State prison Lays by the good old farm, And the man sees a toilin' brother Well out of the way of harm, He mourns he hadn't staid there, A-tillin' the soil in peace, Where he'll yet creep back in dishonor

After a tardy release. What host uv 'em go back broken In health, in mind 'n purse, To die in sight uv the clover, Or linger along, which is worse! And how many mourn when useless That they didn't see the charm, The safety 'n independence,

Uv a life on the dear old farm. So preach it up to 'em, parson, Just lay it out plain 'nd square, That land flows with milk 'n honey, And health, 'nd peace are there. And call back the clerks 'nd runners, And show 'em the peaceful charm That waits to cheer and bless them. On father's dear old farm.

A SEASHORE IDYL.

Dearest Gerty:

'Doing precisely as I'd be done by, I write in the greatest hurry to tell you that, unless you can prevent it, your father will be married to a fascinating, intriguing kind of cousin of mine, who is doing all in her power to make him and every one else in love with her.'

She was very disagreeable'—and Mrs. Page wept at the remembrance of her wrongs—'accused me of entrapping and intriguing—talked of your money'—
Mrs. Page actually sobbed—'in short, my dear Mr. Lee, I think I had better leave to-morrow morning.'

'And if you go, what will be the result, so far as I am concerned?' he politely in-

'What a scare for nothing!' interrupted Jack. 'He is only in love: I thought it was all fixed.'

'Wait until you hear more,' solemnly replied his sister:

'She is a widow, and fatally, dangerously charming. I hate her, but am forced to acknowledge this. Every creature, except me, whom she looks at likes her. She has light hazel eyes, wonderful hair, an exquisite white skin, and, whether she walks or sits still, looks up or down is irresistible. Her year work. or down, is irresistible. Her very voice would charm the bird off the tree. I hate her because I am jealous of her, and, although she purrs over me, will not be friendly. Very well, I'll come to the point, I heard your father entreat, beseech her, to marry bim. I listened: yes, I was so base, even as that—sat near a window—they were on the piazza. He told her he'd settle a million on her, alluded to all of you, and seemed to think noone but William would like it. 'There is no use in my saying more. Come on in full force. She's a cowardly little thing—has scruples. I think you

can prevent it.

'Yours, with much sympathy,

'Nina Montgomery.'

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'That last is an admirable frame three with a questioning glance, and languidly inhaled the perfume of her blue violets.
'How can father be such a fool?

exclaimed Jack: 'he is seventy years 'Poor father I' said Archie. 'How devoted and kind he was to mamma! Let

him marry if he pleases.'

'You little know what you are saying,'
shricked Gertrude. 'Let him marry!'
with a sarcastic air. 'The woman is an
artful, designing minx! Do you suppose she'll be content with her million? By no manner of means. She'll never rest until she has put us cut of his house, and out of his heart, and out of his will. and out of his heart, and out of his will.

She'll take possession of him. I've heard too much of rich old fathers and young step-mothers. Mrs. Brooks made 'Whose turn will it be to speak first?' young step-mothers. Mrs. Brooks made her husband leave her every bit of his property, cutting off his daughters with a shilling. When the poor man wanted to retract—make a new will or something—they said he had had an attack of paralysis in the meantime, and was incapable. Actually, when he wanted to alter it, with death staring him in the face, he couldn't! I feel awfully sorry for papa,' added Gerty. 'He has had a very gloomy life, and if he were a younger man— But how long could he live with his pert young widow? Threescore years and ten, the Bible says, is the limit, and he has attained it.'

'I wish William were here,' exclaimed Archie, 'he'd tell us what to

'He'd tell us just to make the best of it, cried Gerty. 'William would let fa-ther cut his (William's) throat cheerful-ly if he were so inclined. He doats on papa. So do we all,' she added with a prevent it. Nina says she's cowardly: let us use our utmost endeavors. I shall start to-day. Harry telegraph papa to secure rooms for me; and, Archie and Jack, you come as soon as I send for you. In the meantime I'll write to William—he is at the White Mountains—and I'll lay the whole matter before him. If he chooses to evade the recombination of the latter and all that. She's an angel!' he chooses to evade the responsibility, hate your purring, coaxing women. She he may: he cannot say that he has not shall have a piece of my mind, I can tell

you a moment longer," whispered Ger trude as she emerged, faint with fatigue, from the lumbering coach and kissed the old gentleman tenderly. Her maid followed with bags and

'I rather thought you'd meet me with a carriage at the station,' she continued, gently reproachful.

"I am sorry, my dear,' replied Mr. Lee with some embarrassment, but I had made up a party to go off in my yacht, and, in fact, had to shorten the sail to meet you at all.' 'Dear papa!' ejaculated Gerty, press-

ing his arm tenderly.

Mr. Lee looked doubtfully on the fair little face nestling against his shoulder; he was evidently ill at ease. A look of relief passed over him when Mrs. Grant announced her intention of remaining in her room for the evening and having her tea sent to her. She summoned, however, secretly, Miss Nina Montgom-

I shall be perfectly frank with your consin,' she said to that young lady. 'I mean to write to Mrs. Page and propose an interview. No skirmishing. I'll come

to the point directly,' That astute young person looked doubtful: 'She is hesitating: may not opposition decide her-the wrong way?' 'No, it will frighten her: you said she is cowardly. No temporizings or hesita-tions for me: I hate masterly inactivity. I am going for her!-a common expres-

sion,' she remarked. They were playing croquet on a very poor croquet ground, with a large

'Mr. Lee,' whispered Mrs. Page, 'will you walk on the beack after the game? I ave something to tell you.' 'I hope it is something agreeable,' he replied, disturbed by her manner.
'No; it is something very disagree-

The new moon gleamed uncertainly on the water; delicious salt breezes blew upon them as they walked up and down

'Mr. Lee, I have had an interview with your daughter, Mrs. Grant—a very un-pleasant interview. If I had made up my mind to be her step mother, I think I

"Not at all, my dear father;" and he should retract: as it is'-

was far from feeling.
'I said very little. If she had coaxed,
I should have told her how little she had

'Ah !' in a tone of dismay. 'As she did very much the reverse, I was cold, dignified and non-committal. father.

terrogated.

me, and of course my only object in going will be to end this matter;
Mrs. Grant the immediate propelling cause.

eye. 'I'll take care,' he said, 'that you'll not be annoyed in future. Mrs. Grant shall humbly apologize, and she must

leave, not you.'

'My dear Mr. Lee, promise me that you will never speak to your daughter on the subject. I a cause of discord in your family! Promise me; I insist, I

Mrs. Page closed her eyes and tears

entreat that you never allude to me. Promise me, dear Mr. Lee,' continued the coaxing voice.
'On one condition'—Mr. Lee seized his advantage—'that you stay, and that what Mrs. Grant has said shall have no

effect on your conduct or decision. I'll take no denial,' he gently whispered. 'How does our little negotiation stand at present? I am at your mercy; you are doubtful, hesitating, but the scales weigh a little in my favor, do they 'Oh, no. Indeed I have never thought

seriously of marrying you, I only dislike

mind: preserve it; and, as they had left the beach and were within hearing and observation, the conversation Archie and Jack appeared the next day,

summoned by an imperative telegram from Mrs. Grant.

'Now, boys, you must exert yourselves:
I've done all I can,' said their sister.
'She is obstinate and odious—would not tell me anything.'
'Perhaps it is all a scare,' exclaimed

Archie. 'You are very much mistaken. Papa is devoted to her and icy to me. There's no time to lose. We are so intimate with

cried Archie. 'I'll throw up a penny: heads win, tails lose. It's mine!' with a Page's side on the piazza, sat next her in the omnibus which took them to the bathing heach walks.

you are going to marry paps.'
'Would you not like me for a step-mother?' and she smiled deliciously at

An involuntary smile appeared on Mrs. Page's face: then she sighed.

The good-hearted fellow felt compunction as he heard the sigh. 'Hang it!' he sigh, 'only we don't want him to be mar-ried. It is undignified, it is preposter-ous!' with rising indignation. 'We can prevent it. Nina says she's cowardly:let

een warned.'
'Dear papa, I could not live without Mrs. Page appeared to have a com-

Jack Lee skillfully for two entire days.

The Man Who Left Prince Louis to His He shot fierce glances toward her at the dinner table, glared at her from under his bushy eyebrows in the ball-room, and when she came up dripping from her bath she could scarcely stagger

past him, his sarcastic eyes were so overpowering.
She avoided the piazzas, and on the third day had hidden herself with a book behind a rock, when, bristling and pugnacious, heappeared: 'Pardon my intrusion, but I am exceedingly desirous of

She bowed stiffly. 'Mrs. Page, we have been told of my father's proposal, and that you think of accepting him. The idea is very disagreeable to all of us—to all of us,' be repeated firmly: 'in fact, we can scarcely think well of you. It puts you in a most conspicuous, really odious light.'

Mrs. Page did not look dovelike at this moment: her light brown eyes flashed indignantly at him.

'There is but one object in marrying my father,' he resumed after a moment's pause: 'it is a transaction common enough in Mohammedan countries. You are purchased with a million of dollars: I think that was the sum mentioned?

Her lip quivered like a child's, indignation and tears strove for the mastery, but cry she would not: he never should

have that satisfaction. 'Mr. Lee,' she exclaimed, 'I don't know what you think of your conduct: I think it is cowardly, dastardly. You are afraid of remonstrating with your father, but you burl cruel, insulting words at me, a poor, defenseless woman. I admire your father, I am even fond of him, but I was very far from consenting to marry him. Now I think I will. What his entreaties could not effect, your insolence has.' She arose, and with a Juno-

ike air swept away.
'Et tu, Brute?' exclaimed Mr. Lee eenior to his son William, who had walked from the station, and was reg-

took his father's arm and led him away. 'What did you say, my dear Mrs. 'I only came to see that you had fair Page?' asked Mr. Lee with a serenity he play. Marry whom you please and as you please. But what is the lady's name?'

'She is a Mrs. Page-a widow. 'Ah !' exclaimed William, and his cordiality to a degree vanished. 'Let me introduce you,'

town, in hopes to escape them for a time.

Some one, however, was in swift pur-'If I go it will greatly inconvenience suit: she felt that it was a Lee. The footsteps gained upon her.
'Alice!' exclaimed a full melodious voice; and William Lee seized both her

hands. 'Alice, is it really you?'
Mrs. Page trembled and grew pale. He placed her on a large stone which stood conveniently near, and sat down beside her. 'Alice, where were

rolled down her cheeks.

At this janeture Mr. Lee senior, breathless with his chase after her, came up. He felt that this was a scene, and waited for explanations.

'My dearest father,' exclaimed Wil-

liam, rising. and seizing his arm, 'she loves both of us, but she promised to marry me first. I am sorry,' he continued ruefully.
'Dear Mr. Lee,' said Mrs. Page, seizing his other arm, 'you are so like him

-your bearing, your smiles, your tones—really, if I could not have married William I must have married A cloud passed for a moment over Mr. Lee's face, but during his seventy years, whenever there were heroic, unselfish qualities to be displayed, he was never wanting. 'My dear,' he said in that pleasant voice so like his son's, turning with kindly courtesy toward her -'my dear, it is best as it is-more nat-

ural, more appropriate.'

A metropolitan paper commenting on the fact that the greater number of peo-ple to be seen at the seaside and popular resorts are ladies and very young men, while the husbands and fathers remain at their drudgery in the city in order to earn the money necessary for their families' indulgence, reads the parents a lecture on the subject, and remarks: Do not struggle to give your children a for-tune, or to push them into a higher cir-cle of society than your own. Give them Page's side on the piazza, sat next her in the omnibus which took them to the bathing beach, walked home with her through the shady lane after the bathing.

She was delighted with the gay young fellow. At length he showed a little claw: 'Mrs. Page, we are all very much afraid you are going to marry papa.'

We have the farm or shop occasionly. Broaden your mind by friction with men. Go to the cities, to California, to Europe. Of course it will cost money. Dress, eat, furnish your house more simply; your sons and daughters will be better men and women for such simplicity. Bequeath to them high thoughts and noble living in lieu of money. They His tender heart melted: 'Like you! who could help liking you? But'—and he hesitated—'we don't want a stepmother: step-mothers are deucedly in the city. Bequeath to them high thoughts and noble living in lieu of money. They neither respect nor love you more for performing an intellectual hari-kari on their behalf.

Labor. Honest, hearty, contented labor is the

only source of happiness, as well as the only guarantee of life. The gloom of

We are told that no one becomes utterly vile in an instant. Yet it would seem that Lient. Carey took but one seem that Lient. Carey took but one step from high courage to pitiful cowardice. Strange to say, the officer who deserted the prince imperial had a record of exceptional excellence till he tore it with his spurs on that fatal first of June. Lient. Carey began his education at a French imperial lycee, and fluished his military studies at Sandhurst. In 1865 he enfered the British service, receiving a free commission as service, receiving a free commission as ensign in the Third West India regi-

He passed with his company to the west coast of Africa, and, though but a stripling of eighteen, was made commundant of the fort at Acora. From Africa he went back to Jamaica, Before the had fully recovered from the coast-fever he volunteered for the war in Hon-duras, and had the spirit to conceal his debility, lest he should be forbidden to take the field. In Honduras he was honorably mentioned in dispatches more than once, and, of all unlikely qualities, it was his bravery in reconnoitering, and his quick eye for a country, which won

half pay. But he was not the man to rust in idleness. He went at once to Hythe, and gained a first-class certificate When war broke out between France and Germany, and the ambulance corps was organized to succor the French wounded, Lient Carey promptly volunteered his services and wore the Red Cross badge through the terrible winter campaign. Evidently he was far from chary of his person, for the Germans took him prisoner on three fields of bat-tle, and the French Society for Aiding the Wounded gave him a cross and rib. bon, as well as a diploma of thanks, in

attestation of his courage and humanity. As soon as the news of the bloody dis-aster at Isandiana reached England him fully able to do the labor he was Lieut. Carey asked to be sent to South
Africa 'in any capacity.' Thus, for the
third time, he went to the post of peril as a volunteer. It happened that the the surgeon threw open Barrett's cell transport in which he sailed was wreck-door, whereupon the convict deluged

On the long march through Natal to Dundee he accompanied the veteran drafts of the Twenty-fourth regiment, and chose all the camping grounds. His ability as a military surveyor won swift recognition. It secured him a place upon Lord Chelmsford's staff, and designation to map out the line of advance ignation to map out the line of advance against Ufundi. His valor till it failed on the 200 prisoners at work to regult

Thus, with an established reputation for acuteness and intrepidity, for presence of mind and abnegation of self, surely Lieut. Carey should have been the last officer in the army to unsaddle in a man-trap, or to gallop away from a dismounted comrade; still less to fly while the prince, whose safety was his charge, stood among savages at bay and alone. It was a sudden cloud of cowardice, yet it overshadows the renown of a

to find out, three dollars to ask to look at it, four dollars to be told that you might, five dollars to get to it, six dol-lars to look at it, seven dollars to say anything about it, eight dollars to keep quiet about it, nine dollars to quit look-ing at it, ten dollars to go away from it, and eleven dollars for thinking about it. So I didn't try to jamp off. I met a man who had been working there for seven-teen years, to get enough money to be allowed to jump off, but he had only amassed \$14,000, and they would only let him stick one leg over for five min-utes for that. But we enjoyed Niagara

all the same.

Traveling across Lake Ontario he remarks: Supper was served on the boat and I saw one man pay seventy-five cents for a supper that ought to have lasted him two weeks. It didn't last him five minutes. I never saw such reckless extravagance in my life. One very pale young man told me had crossed the lake twenty times, and had never been sick, in all the term implies, in all his life.—
In ten minutes I saw that young man looking down into the angry waters, and I am a sinner if he didn't throw up everything he had in the world except his situation. He looked wretched. In fact, it was the retchedest time I ever saw anywhere.

Development of the Heart. Prof. Bencke, of Marburg, Germany, after measuring 970 human hearts, says that the growth of that organ is greatest in the first and second year of life. At the end of the second year it is doubled in size, and during the next five years is again doubled. Then its growth is much slower, though from the fifteenth to the twentieth wear its size ingreases by two twentieth year its size increases by two-

A clergyman, newly arrived at Lead-ville, Col., thought the great number of rough-looking men indicated an admirarough-looking men indicated an admirable opportunity for inculcating Christianity, and accordingly announced he would open a Bible class the next Sunday, to which all were invited. He was gratified by the appearance of a goodly array of young men, between twenty and thirty years old, bronzed, bearded, high booted and red and blue woolen.

The Class of Men Seeking Fortunes.

Lalle Cetren

son, of Georgia, who had been and who was afterward a United States Senator, was afterward a United States Senator, was the challenged party. He was 'an Englishman,' like the hero of 'Pinafore,' by birth, but he went to Savannah when a lad, studied law, was a leading Freemason, and fought gallantly in the revolutionary war. He killed Lieutenant Governor Wells in 1780 in a duel, and was engaged in several other 'affairs of honor,' until he finally determined to accept a challenge on such terms as would make it his last duel. So he prescribed as the terms that each party armed with a double barreled gun, loaded with buckshot, and with a hunting knife, should row himself in a skiff to designated points on opposite sides of the Savannah river. When the city clock struck twelve each party should start and row his skiff to a small island in the middle of the river, which was wooded and covered with underbrush. On arriving at the island each party was a moor his skiff stand by itforty and accordingly announced he anity, and accordingly announced he would open a Bible class the next Sunday, to which all were invited. He was gratified by the appearance of a goodly array of young men, between twenty and thirty years old, bronzed, bearded, high-booted and red and blue woolenshirted, who looked as if they had never seen a b'iled shirt, store clothes or a church in their lives, even on a Sunday. Beginning his instructions wooded and covered with underpress.
On arriving at the island each party was to moor his skiff, stand by it for ten minutes, and then go about on the island until the meeting took place. The island until the meeting took place. The seconds waited on the mainland until him distinction.

The disbanding of the Third West India regiment reduced Lieut. Carey to half pay. But he was not the man to Then all was still. At daylight, as had found able to teach him. He did not been agreed upon, the seconds went to the island and found Jackson lying on the ground insensible from the loss of tlemen might have been in need of a blood, and his antagonist lying across oertain kind of religious instruction, but him, dead. Jackson recovered, but it was not exactly of the sort that he was would never relate his experience on prepared to administer. that night, nor was he ever challenged again. He died in Washington, serving his second term as United States Senator, March 19, 1806.

An Old-Time Duel.

Among the many bloody duels on re-cord as having been fought by Con-

gressmen was one of which James Jack-

Shooting of a Desperate Convict. John Barrett, an inmate of Sing Sing prison, New York, refused to work and was confied in a dark cell, upon the adendeavoring to shirk. The next morning, in making his customary rounds among the prisoners under punishment, transport in which he sailed was wrecked between Cape Town and Durban; and, again, on the sea as on the land, the ready lieutenant distinguished himself by fearlessness, judgment and energy.

On the long march through Natal to Durdee he accompanied the veterant of the was written and sales as a volunteer. It happened that the surgeon threw open Barretts cell door, whereupon the convict deluged him with the contents of his slop bucket. For this insubordination he was whipped and again put in confinement. Subsequently two keepers attempted to take him before the superintendent, when he drew a sharp tableknife and stabbing one of them severely turned and range of the superintendent.

ignation to map out the line of advance against Ufundi. His valor, till it failed on the 200 prisoners at work to revolt with him; and they were only restrained with him; and they were only restrained

against Ufundi. His valor, till it failed him, was never doubted.

Indeed, it was held to be of the truest temper, a combination of coolness and daring, which raised him to the level of the most hazardous enterprise. Nor had he spared to put it to the proof against the assegai. On May 20, only ten days before that shameful flight across the gully by the Ilyotozi river, he had ridden beside the prince imperial at the head of twenty-five Basutos, and stormed a kraal that was garrisoned by sixty Zulus.

On the 200 prisoners at work with him; and they were only restrained by the revolvers of the few keepers. The latter urged Barrett to surr nder, not wishing to shoot him, and fearing to throw themselves upon him lest the balance of the convicts should spring to his rescue. The desperate man challenged the keepers to fire, and declaring his purpose to kill some one, lifted the hammer above his head preparatory for a rush on Keeper Good, steadily advancing against the pointed pistol, when the officer fired and killed Barrett instantly. The other prisoners sprang stantly. The other prisoners sprang forward, but the officials cowed them

into submission. A jury of inquest rendered a verdict of justifiable homicide. A Singular State of Affairs, Bristol, Va., is perhaps the only city in the world that has two mayors, two city governments, police, etc., and that is taxed in two States. The line between Tennessee and Virginia is in the center of Main street and it gives rise to

Burdette on his Travels.

The editor of the Burlington Hawkeye, who has been off on a protracted vecation, writes: Possibly the reader thinks I have at last wandered clear to the jumping off place, and jumped off, and pulled the place off after me. This is a mistake. I have been to the jumping off place, but it was fenced in, and it cost a dollar to ask where it was, two dollars to find out, three dollars to ask to look at it, four dollars to be told that you might, five dollars to get bo it, six dollars to look at it, seven dollars to say anything about it, eight dollars to get payed anything about it, nine dollars to quit look defiantly perched himself on a pile of store boxes within six feet of the line, jeering the officers on the other side, but unfortunately for him some more law-abiding citizens tilted the boxes, and when he reached the ground, to his extreme mortification, he found that he

was in the other State. Too Much for Him.

The other day a sharp-looking youth walked up quickly to the counter of the postuffice in a country town, and empty-ing a bag of coppers thereon, asked the clerk, who was attending to other customers, for a dollar's worth of one-cent

'That's not a legal tender; it is swer. 'What is a legal tender, then?' asked the boy. Why, one cent is a legal tender for a one-cent stamp.'
'Oh!' exclaimed the youth, 'is it!

Come on, then,' passing a coin from the

'Oh, you be bothered!' was the an-

heap: 'a one cent stamp, please.' The clerk gave him one. 'Another, please.' A second was given him.

'Here, stop that,' the clerk said.—
'Give me the money. It will be the shortest way to get rid of you.' After counting the money, he gave the value thereof in stamps to the lad, who was heard to mutter: 'I thought I would tire him out.'

Grown-Up Babies:

nones, hastly contented not happiness, as well as the only guarantee of life. The gloom of misanthropy is not only the great destroyer of happiness, but it tends to destroy life itself. Idleness and luxury produce premature decay much faster than many trades regarded as the most exhaustive and fatal to longevity. Labor, in general, instead of shortening the term of life, actually increases it. It is the lack of occupation that annually destroys so many of the wealthy, who, having nothing to do, play the part of drones, and like them, make a speedy exit, while the busy bee fills its day in usefulness and honor.

Solver, though from the measure store of happiness, so well as the only guarantee of life, are well size increases by two-thirds. A very slight growth is then observed up to fifty, when it gradually stroyer of happiness, but it tends to destroyer of happiness, but it tends to destroye and luxury beart of the least real or fancied adversity takes to drinking, is a grown-up baby; but he is nursing the wrong bottle. The young man who, under the pressure of the least real or fancied adversity takes to drinking, is a grown-up baby; but he is nursing the wrong bottle. The young man who is ashamed of his mothematic to destroy and of his father because he doesn't put on style, and both is wrent surse of the least real or fancied adversity takes to drinking, is a grown-up baby; but he is nursing the wrong bottle. The young man who is ashamed of his mothematic to the sales are of the least real or fancied adversity to the surse of the least real or fancied adversity to the surse of the least real or fancied adversity to the surse of the least real or fancied adversity to the surse of the least real o

The Penalty of Flirting.

A newspaper man sojourning at one of the mountain resorts where the pretty daughters of the farmers roundabout earn a few dollars during the summer months by acting as waitresses at the hotel tables, sketches the result of a young man's sly flirtation with one of the fair damsels. He writes: We sat opposite young Ponsby, who is here with his mamma, a vigilant mater who presides with much urbanity and gray puffs at the head of the table. Taking advantage of his parent's absence from breakfast, the guileless Edward flirted openly with the waitress. The coquet-tish waitress, evidently believing that what is sauce for breakfast is sauce for dinner beamed upon the hapless Edward, who turned very red, and mur-mured in his ear that there were no given that person some encouragement. We will speak of this later; in the meantime, remember that your mother and Miss Sylvia are present.' The wretched Edward kicked Hebe violently as she approached, and she went away with an injured look, doubtless consequent upon barked shins. It is certainly awkward for pretty waiter girls to flirt when one's mamma is on deck, but it is objectionsble at any time.

An Antwerp Sketch. borers at the rate of a centime, or oneborers at the rate of a centime, or one-fifth of a cent, per glass, and every one of them that stood or walked upon the quay and did not carry or attend a child, how deep soever she might be in gossip or dispute, plied her knitting needles as rapidly as did her less voluble neigh-bors; and before we reached the hotel bors; and before we reached the hotel we saw that the women of the humbler classes all knit as they walk, and that old women, whose wooden shoes and rade occupation offered strange contrast to their immaculate lace caps with side pendarts falling to their shoulders, were employed indifferently with men in sweeping the streets. In England the little donkey and his cart attract attention, but we have all seen their counterlittle donkey and his cart attract attention, but we have all seen their counterparts at home, while it is a strange sight to see dogs even of less than medium size commonly used as substitutes for donkey or horse. But here the slender girl who as porter pulls a hand-cart, the matron who serves milk from door to door or vends vegetables, and the burly fellow who pushes a load heavy enough for a horse, all avail themselves of the assistance of a dog or dogs.

The Trick Exposed.

One of the crowning events at a New Orleans variety show was spoiled by an Daving the

One of the crowning events at a New Orleans variety show was spoiled by an unlooked for occurrence. During the trapeze performance, George Loyal is usually fired out of a huge cannon, and ascending to the top of the stage, is cought by Ella Zuila, while hanging by her feet to the trapeze. On Friday, however, the powder refused to go off when Loyal gave the word, and there being no noise to hide the working of the powerful spring, it was heard to go off, and Loyal ascended as usual. The absence of the explosion put Zuila off her guard, and she failed to catch the 'human projectile' when he rose like a her guard, and she failed to catch the 'human projectile' when he rose like a rocket, so that he came down like a stick. There was an outery by nervous women, but the man struck in the net, which sagged nearly to the floor under his fall, but saved him from further harm than a scratched nose. He wallowed in the netting until he reached the edge, when he let himself down with a rather graceful somersault to the stage, where he was hastily joined by Zuila, and both bowed themselves off with smiles that were suspected of being forced.

means of support.

A farm laborer at Ardleigh, England, went to the help of a man who was being overpowered by a lunatic in his charge and in danger of being killed.—He was absent from work an hour and a half, and was prosecuted by his employer of loss of services, and the court decided against him for not getting permission from his employer before going to the rescue of a man who was liable to be killed at any moment.

The dwelling of the Wines family, at Martinette, Wis., got after in the night.

A Pennsylvania Congressman recreating in Europe, gives a pen sketch of the humbler classes of women of the famous ransom. This means prosperity for the American farmer.

A rather novel sight was witnessed in the police court at Richmond, Va., in the appearance of a colored lawyer as the counsel for a white man, who was arraigned for some trifling offense. This wooden yoke large tin vessels of water, from which she refreshed thirsty laborers at the rate of a centime, or one-

maximum.

The dwelling of the Wines family, at Martinette, Wis., got after in the night, and the lower part was all in flames before the three children had escaped from an upper room. The e'dest, a boy, jumped from a window into a bedquilt held underneath. A younger lad, only eight years old, was about to follow, but the mother saw that a three year old girl was not at the window. 'Run back and get sis,' she cried. The boy returned to his room, but the fire cut him off, and his lifeless body was found with the little one's clasped in his arms.

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From and after June 1st, the terms of the PRESS will be ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS, to all new subscribers, who pay in advance. To subscribers who do not pay in advance the price is two dol-

SUGAR .- We have received a circular letter from the United States Commissioner of Agriculture relative to the manufacture of Sorghum Sugar.

Specimen number of the new daily paper, Salisbury, is before us. This enterprise is in the hands of several young practical printers. Success to it.

The Stock or Fence Law was voted down by Rowan as a County, but three townships, Locke, Mt Ulla, Atwell and the northern portion of the Scotch Irish, lining with Iredell. It is thought by about, nearly onehalf of the county can be embraced. The townships are large,

STATE BREVIT! 28 .- Cabarrus County adopts the fence law. --- Mormonism has broken out in Cherokee and Clay and Stokes county. Seventy-eight cows have been killed on the Atlantic the month of July .- A Robinson phia County colored school teacher forged an order for \$23; for which he war jailed.

The following from the Charlotte Observer shows that Davie county is to

Mooresville Railroad has at last been settled. Day before yesterday the fol-lowing was declared by the board of convassers to be the vote cast, the same being announced at the court house door in Mocksville by the venerable Ephraim Gaither, register of deeds: Number of to match the colors of theirs. Wear voters registered, 1,986; cast for subscription, 972; againts subscription, 751; scription, 972; againts subscription, 751; majority of registered voters, 4. It will be observed that the vote was close, and the friends of the enterprise, of so much the completion of the road to Mocksville realized from this source in 1879 was and brings Charlotte in communication \$6,784,627.89. The aggregate receipts with the great and fertile valley of the are as follows: In 1878, \$111,087,725,49; Yadkin. It will be rapidly pushed to in 1879, \$112,918,465.61; total increase

Storm at Beaufort.

MOREHEAD CITY, N. C., August 18 .-A terrible storm visited Beaufort and Morehead city, damaging property to the amount of over \$5,000. The Atlantie and North Carolina Railroad track between town and depot is nearly all washed up. The Atlantic Hotel and eight business houses in Beaufort were washed away, while the various other damages are inestimable. The guests of the Atlantic escaped, but the building and contents, including all the baggage, is a total loss.

Ocean View Hotel also washed away. At Wilmington the storm was also severe, unroofing houses, leveling trees, stranding ships, &c.

In consequence of the above disaster, the State Press Association met at the Gregory House, Goldsboro, on Wednes-

Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris is not dead as reported. Mrs. E. T. Sartoris, for-merly Adalaide Kemble, is dead.

There is little or no change for the better in Memphis New cases from eight to ten daily.

QUEBEC, Aug. 15 .- A terrible free fight occurred to-day in the lower town be-tween 3000 French-Canadian ship laborers and a somewhat smaller number of Irish-Catholic Ship-laborers. The former were defeated, with a loss of five killed and many wounded. Several days of anxiety followed, but at present all is

Colored Exodus from the South.

retary of the emigrant aid society of the District of Columbia has received a letter from Gov. St. John, President of the from the construction train in the tunnel Freedmen's Relief Associatian of Kan-and was coming down the heavy grade sas. from which the following extracts at a fearful rate. They struck the engine,

"The tide of immigration continues the flats. to flow northward in an almost unbroken stream, and unless checked by the cult with the means at our command to relieve the necessities of the refugees, but are doing the best we can, and have thus far prevented any actual suffering. It seems to me that the people of the North do not comprehend the magnitude of this movement, otherwise they would certainly take interest in the matpeople. We have obtained employment for them and placed them in such a sitnation that they are now self-sustaining. but it has cost a great deal of money. We have received some aid from abroad: in fact, from certain sections of the country quite liberal donations have come. The city of Cleveland, Ohio, has says that all church organizations are given \$1,600, but the great city of New contrary to the teachings of the Bible. York, so far as I know, has not given that many cents. What is needed is

From annual report of the North Carolina Agricultural Experimental sta-tion, we extract the following:

In 1876, before the law providing for fertilizer control was passed, there were fertilizer control was passed, there were 108 brands of fertilizers sold in North Carolina. Some of them were miserable stuff, otherss downright swindles. One especially, with a very large sale, was found to contain sixty per cent. of sand, and other so poor that they were condemned in Georgia, were re-shipped and this North Carolina. sold in North Carolina. At present they are but 42 brands which are legally on sale in North Carolina, and it gives me pleasure to state that among them are the very best brands found in the United States, and no State has a more complete protection for its farmers, and no occasional state better protects dealers in fertilizers 9th. from having to compete with fraudu-lent manufacturers than our own. Three things are certain and admit of proof: 1st. That fertilizers are cheaper in North Carolina to-day than before the tax was imposed. 2d. That they are better on an average. 3d. That they are as cheap in North Carolina as in either Virginia, Georgia, or South Carolina, due allowance being made for increase or decrease of freight, owing to distance.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for September is richly laden with good things in Art' Fashion, and Literature. The Steel plate is an original design by Darley, suggestive of the fruitful harvests and happy husbandmen. A mammoth colored combinations which may be brought fashion plate is given showing the latest life and illustrating the first of antumn's innovations. There is a large diagram DIPHTFERIA.—A gargle of flour of sulphur (brimstone) is recommended as a sure cure. Dissolve a teaspoopful in a wine glass of water, and gargle. In extreme water, when the threat is to near the sure cure when the threat is to near the sure cure. treme cases when the throat is too nearly closed to admit of gargling, blow sriphur through a quil into the throat.

Lady's Book is making market attracts over its fashion competitors, and can always be commended for purity and high tone of all its contributors. "A Gentle Belle" is approaching the climax, and the "Rosebud Garden of Girls" is increasing in interest as the story devel-

ops. The usual departments are replete with entertainment and instruction, and as a whole the September number Counties, and some trouble is anticipat- is a model of completeness. The Pubed. There are a few Mormons in Surry lishers will send to any address, postpaid, on receipt of 70 cents, the remaining four numbers of the present year, or for \$1 will send the full current volume. & Charlotte Air Line Railroad during Address Godey, s Lady's Book, Philadel-

Heaven help the man who imagines he can dodge enemies by trying to please ev-erybody. If such an individual ever succeeds, we should be glad of it-not that one should be going through the world trying to find beams to knock and thump The question of granting or refusing the appropriation by Davie county of man's opinion, fighting and elbowing, \$35,000 for the Winston and Salem & and crowding all who differ with him. That again, is another extreme.

> Other people have a right to their opinions-so have you; don't fall into the error of supposing they will respect you weather, storms and sunshine.

The Internal Revenue Bureau has just importance to the county, had almost completed a comparative statement of despaired of it. The subscription insures the receipts on tobacco. The amount in 1879, \$2,820,740.12. So in spite of the reduction in the lax there is a considerable increase in the amount of revenue received. This is for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1879 .- Wilmington Star.

> Salem Market .- Green Apples, 25 a 30; Peaches 60; Bacon 6 a 8; Rutter 15 a 20; Corn 70 a 75; Eggs 8 a 10; Flour 2.50 a 3.25; Flaxseed 85; Lard 8 10; Mutton 6 a 8; Oats 30a35; Irish Potatoes 60a75; Sweet Potatoes 75a80; Salt \$1a185 per sack; Tallow 6; Wheat 90a1,10; Dried Blackberries 4; Cherries 121; quarter cut Apples 1a2 cents; bright sliced Apples 3a5; Damson Plums 10;

STATE NEWS.

The Chatham Record states that its farmers are using Chicago corn and Richmond meal, and asks how the people can expect to survive such a system. It says, forcibly, "with our farmers buying the very things they should sell. how can the country prosper?"

It is said that on a clear day you can look from High point, on Roan Mountaiu, into seven States. The following points are visible.

Cumberland Mts. Tenn., 185 miles. Kentucky Ridge, Ky., 125 miles. Walnut Mt. W. Va.. 130.

Pilot Mt. N. C., 90 miles. Alleghanies, Va., 130 miles. King's Mt. S. C., 100 miles.

Raburn Gap Mountains, Ga., 100 This view embraces an area of 50,000

square miles. Thursday morning as the up mail train on the Western road was nearing Blue WASHINGTON, August 10 .- The Sec- Ridge tunnel it was met about a mile

completely demolishing it, and breaking Conductor Newland received many and painful injuries, as also did the firequarantine regulations established on man, Jas. Brown (colored), who it is vice, would appear to be great enough the Mississippi, there is no telling just thought, will die. They are both lying without any more revelations from inwhen it will stop. We find it very diffiat Henry. Mr. Chas. Gordon, the enginside the institution. eer, who escaped with fewer and less painful injuries, returned home yester-

day morning. Many persons on the train were scratched, cut and bruised, and all were badly frightened.

Shelby Aurora: We are informed that a man has made his appearance in the ter. So far our association has extend-ed aid to about 4,000 destitute colored is a Disciple of Christ, and claims to be preaching the gospel as it was handed down by Christ to the apostles. He is creating no little excitement among the people, and a number of persons have endorsed the doctrine he teaches. He refases to tell who he is or where he is

SWINE CREMATION .- During the past money. Our funds are nearly exhausted, few weeks Mr. W. A. Dapiels lost a his and whether we shall receive further still house near this place, more than contributions or not the future alone can one hundred fine hogs with cholera, and determine. Of one thing, however, you a very much larger number of pigs. may rest assured: young Kansas will His swine died so rapidly and the smell not falter in her duty towards this peo- became so obnoxious that he hauled ple, and I only wish the entire country would wake up to the magnitude of the movement. Our association has expend-

LAMP LIGHTED BY LIGHTNING.—During the prevalence of a storm a few evenings since, the telegragh operator at King's Mountain went to his office as usual after tea, and turned on the key of his instrument. His lamp, a glass one, was sitting within a few inches of the plug, and as he turned to get a match to light it, there came a brilliant flash of lightning, a flame burst all over the instrument, and the lamp was lighted in an instant. The occurrence was witnessed by two other persons, besides the oped by two other persons, besides the op-erator himself. The lamp was not inbeen entirely of glass, a non-conductor, the result would doubtless have been occasion to know .- Charlotte Observer,

MORMONS IN NORTH CAROLINA .-They have broken out in this State too. In the counties of Clay and Cherokee this much and frequent marrying sect has begun to multiply to an extent that was very gratifying to them and full of danger to the community. So the people turned on these Latter Day Saints and threatened to make it hotter for them than the thermometer indicated if the solution of the latter Day Saints and threatened to make it hotter for them than the thermometer indicated if them than the thermometer indicated if they didn't shut up and put out. They were kindly allowed thirty days in which they might arrange their North Carolina affairs previous to their departure to the land of the Saline Lake. Thereupon, one of the elders writes a letter of the land of the saline lake. Thereupon, one of the elders writes a letter of the late A. T. Stewart in the saling the saling is a superintendent walling, of the police department, pronounced the story a sensational one, and said the remains have never been found.

LATER.—New York August 13. It is now ascertained positively that the family and friends of the late A. T. Stewart ter to Gov. Jarvis bitterly complaining of have been apprised of an offer made by this abridgement of their religious liberty, parties who claim to be able to produce and requesting the Governor to interfere in behalf of his people, especially the new converts. The letter is a clever arrangement of part-truths and axagger-plate and handles of the burial caskets ations, and in the name of liberty of worship cooly asks for license of con-

gia, where a Mormon elder has been recenly found not on earth nor yet in the preservation .- Star. heavens-but sorter betwixt and be tween .- Raleigh Observer.

THE EXCHANGE OF BONDS .- Dr. Worth, our most excellent treasurer, has been much more successful in effecting an exchange of bonds with the bond-holders of North Carolina under the of establishing a complete and direct provisions of the recent net, than could mail inter-communication on the Southhave been anticipated. From the day he ean mail lines, has recognized the adcommenced the work, he has been inde- vantage to be derived by stationing Sufatigable in his exertions, and even thus early he has the satisfaction of knowning that he has already accomplished a good work for the State. The exchange has proceeded very agree-bly. To-day his books show that \$4,000,-000 of the old debt has been retired and is now represented by only \$1,120,000 in the new bonds. This leaves about \$8,000,000 of the debt still outstanding. All classes of old bonds provided for under the act are being brought in, and there seems to be no disposition to with-

hold any particular issue in hopes of a more satisfactory adjustment hereafter. The treasurer feels assured that the fund provided to pay the accruing interest on the new bonds will be ample for the purpose, and that as soon as the exchange is effected the Old North State will rank financially as high as she did before the war. When our credit is thus retrieved, we hope it will be in order for some one to introduce a constitutional amendments prohibiting the issuing of any new bonds except in certain cases, without submitting the matter to the people.-Raleigh Observer, 10th.

GENERAL NEWS.

Judah P. Benjamin is not dead as reported in the papers recently. W. T. Hamilton has been nominated for Governor of Maryland by the Demo-

cratic State Convention. A Cuban and a Brazilian merchant were arrested in New York charged with manufacturing counterfeit Brazili-

an notes. TENNESSEE ELECTION.—The vote of Tennessee to compromise the State

debt is small and the mearure probably defeated. Returns not all in.

ever they flourished.

Chicago is now the greatest pork-packing city in the world. She has over forty establishments where hogs are converted into pork, in some of which all the preliminary stages of kill-ing, scalding, scraping and dressing are within gone through with in the space of ten nicipal taxation of that heavily-taxed

PITTSBURG, August 14.—A special from Parker, Pa., says that lightning struck an iron tank on the Union Pipe Line, this morning, which contained 18,000 barrels of oil. The tank was torn 18,000 barrels of oil. The tank was that to pieces, and the burning oil flowed down the hill side, destroying five wells make it poisenous, it was understood as a joke, but it turns out to be close to the hereby given to all persons indebted to hereby given to all persons indebted to hereby given to all persons indebted to and five dwellings, and communicating to another tank of 5,000 barrels of oil,

the Freedmen's Saving Bank is said to be progressing slowly, and results seem to be far off. The corruption of the investigation of the tigation committee in drawing large salaries without rendering the implied ser-

The most enormous fees ever heard of in the age of this country, or elsewhere, were charged by counsel in the Vanderbilt will case, viz: Henry L. Clinton, attorney, charged a fee of \$250,-000; Judge George F. Comstock, charged and received, \$50,000. The charge of Clinton has not been allowed. Scott Lord, contestant of the will, received \$100,000.

Boston, August 10 .- James Freely alias Baldy Jim, of Williamsburg, N. Y., defeated Frank McGee, of Boston, in a prize fight yesterday at Scotchwoods, Milton, the stakes being \$300. Ten ronds were fought. In the tenth round Freely had his nose broken, in the last Mc-Gee's collar bone was fractured.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., August 12.-Reports from all points of North New Jersey indicate a great revival in the iron The mines, furnaces and forges, which have been idle since the panic of 1873, are being re-opened and work pushed. The forces in many places are working day and night. New mines are being opened and new furnaces built, notably at Chester and Port Oram, and od so far for the relief of the destitute refugees a little over \$6,000."

M. Shook and Silas Watts have also lost at all points from Phillipsburg eastward to Dover. There is a demand for over the arrived in New York; they get better the same desease.—Statesville are less arrived in New York; they get better the same desease. such as has not existed since 1873.

but a few berries and about a half dozen crackers. She now seems to have an idea jured in the slightest degree. Had it not that her forty days are over, although she is not sure about it, and will only eat through fear of another operation b different, as the operator would have had occasion to know, —Charlotte Observer, in hopes that she will continue to take in hopes that she will continue to take food naturally, but they are not certain whether see will or will not. It is also given out that she was led to her melan-

> this is denied by some of her friends. A. T. STEWART'S REMAINS .- The sto-

choly state of mind by a love affair, but

to this city. It is stated that the parties claim to be in Montreal, and have openduct that is not of North Carolina ed negotiations through a lawyer in this growth or to our liking. The Governor has written the solicitor vices. They offer to produce the remains of the district and the sheriffs of the two for \$250,000. The lawyer laid the matcounties to see that the laws are preserved and that the public peace is not broken. This is all that he can do. broken. This is all that he can do.

People with Mormon ideas had better go to Utah, and until they get there bless Joc Smith that they don't live in Geormands of the parties. It is alleged that the remains are in an excellent state of

RICHMOND THE GREAT SOUTHERN RAILROAD CENTRE. - The headquarters of the third division of the railway mail service was remoted from here to Richmond, yesterday. The P.O. Department, perintendent Bailey's division in Richmond on account of its being the great Southern centre. - Washington Post, 9th.

Fellowing is a statement of appropriations made during the third session of the Forty-fifth Congress, for the fiscal year ending June the 30th, 1880, and for deficiencies for former years, prepared by the warrant division of the treasury department: Deficiencies, \$4.633,824.55 legislative bill, \$16.136,230.31; sundry eivil bill. \$17.634.868.56; army bill. \$26.797.300; naval bill. \$14.028,468.95; Indian bill. \$4.718,478.58; river and harbor bill. \$9,577,494.61; forts and fortifications bill, \$275,000; military neademy bill. \$319,547.33; postoffice bills, \$5.872'876.10; pension bill (regularly) \$26,867,200: consular and diplomatic bill. \$1,097,735; expenses of United States courts, \$2,000,000; miscellaneous, \$2,000,000; m \$2,995,123.77. Total, \$162,404,647.76.

THE INDIAN'S IDEA.-General John Pope lets in a flood of light. The country has long desired to ascertain just how and wherefore the Indian wars arise, and General Pope, who is now in Colorado for the purpose of moving the Utes to some less favored section of the territorial possessions, tells us all about it. Gen. Pope smiles at the Denver reporter and explains: "As long as the Utes are in Colorado there is danger You cannot keep prospectors out of their reservations. They are there now. Thenwill follow a call of troops to aid the prospectors. The Indian has an idea that because the reservation has been forever set aside to his use that it is his, and so he resists the prospectors and the troops. Then we have war."

From May 1, 1878, to May 1, 1879, there was made and sold in the city of New York, 1,342,180 barrels of lager At the Greenbrier, Va., White Surphur Springs one Sunday recently, there were thirteen hundred people seated at dinner at one time, and then there were dinner at one time, and then there were glass, which the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the surphur of the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the surphur of the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the surphur of the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the surphur of the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it, will give \$30,870,140 as the amount and the consumer pays for it. beer. In each barrel there are four kegs nually expended in New York for beer alone. It is equal to about \$30 per capita of the entire population, or \$180 per annum for each head of a familyamounts, in another view of the case, to nearly three per cent. upon the total assessed waluation of New York, and is within about \$5,000,000 of the total mucity. The beer score is probably larger than the whiskey score, but both together reach a frightful sum.

When the Detroit Free Press expressed its fears of a future ice famine by stating that an insect would soon be found that would eat up the ice crop, or would is dangerous not only in itself, but all milk, butter, fruits and vegetables which come in close proximity with it are similarly infected. It would therefore be well for those who have ponds from which ice is taken to take measures for pure water before the freezing time arrives .- News.

The movement on foot to celebrate the battle of King's Mountain next year is meeting with much favor. The com-mitte in charge of the matter will "memorialise the Legislatures of Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky for such appropriations and other exists. apprepriations and other assistance as apprepriations and other assistance as may contribute to their proper consummation of this celebration. They have also cordially invited the co-operation of the ladies of Georgia, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky, to aid, under the name of the Ladies' King's Month Carolina and the Ladies' King's Month Ca Mountain Association, in procuring funds for a suitable monument on the battle field." It was a very important and glorious victory, and North Caroliless. The said tract adjoins the lands of Thomas P. Allen and others, and lies other State.

George E. Bowden, of Norfolk, Va., late deputy collector, has been appointed collector of customs for the district of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va., vice John S. Baxton, deceased.

ter wages in this country.

NOTICE.

FORSYTH COUNTY: Having qualited as administrator on the estate of William Vest, deceased, on the 18th day of August, 1879, NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted to the Estate of the said William Vest, to make immediate payment and settlement, or the claims will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. And all persons having claims against said estate will exhibit them to me on or before the 2Ist day of Angust, 1880, or this N. S. COOK, Public Adm'r of Forsyth Co.

August the 19th 1879. Mrs. DOUTHIT

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J. E. MICKEY. Sa lem, N. C., Oct. 24, 1878.

AT THE CEDAR COVE NURSERIES. In Great Variety,

A large stock of Nursery grown APPLE, PEAR AND PEACH TREES of all sizes and ages. GRAPE VINES, STRAWBERRY AND

RASPBERRY PLANTS. Largest stock in the County. Open to the inspection of visitors at all

I intend to sell as cheap as trees can be grown and on some stock below the cost of production. I will prove this to any one on a trial order. Correspondence solicited. Address

N. W. CRAFT, Red Plains, Yadkin Co., N. C. August 14, 1879,-33-tf.

NOTICE. FORSYTH COUNTY:

truth. The Popular Science Monthly has hereby given to all persons indebted to been investigating our ice and finds the estate of said Rhoda Fisher to make which, together with the loading rack of the United Pipe Line. was destroyed.

Total loss \$40,000.

The investigation into the affairs of the Freedmen's Saving Bank is said to be estate will present them to me on or before the 31st day of July, 1880, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

N. S. COOK,

Public Adm'r of Forsyth County. July 31, 1879 .- no. 31,-6t.

> SALE OF VALUABLE GOLD MINE IN DAVIDSON COUNTY.

BY virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of the County of Davidson, at Spring Term, 1879, in a certain acthe undersigned, Commissioner, ap C., the tract of land, in Davidson County, known as the "Ward Gold Mine Tract," containing 393 acres, more or on both sides of Lick Creek, in Davidson County, and is sold to satisfy a judgment in favor of F. H. Fries against the estate of U. L. Stith, deceased.

J. C. BUXTON, Commissioner.

August 1st, 1879 .- no. 31-4t.

ORGANS

MUSIC! PIANOS! ORMSBY. WINSTON N. C., OFFERS THE FOLLOWING



MY ATTENTION BEING DRAWN TO THE FLAMING ADVERTISE-MENTS at present going through the country, professing to offer great in-ducements to purchasers of Pianos and Organs, I, wishing to protect our people from deception and fraud, take this means of cautioning all who desire to procure either an Organ or Piano, that the advertisements referred to and the in

cure either an Organ or Piano, that the advertisements referred to and the instruments they represent are a delusion and a snare.

There are at present located in the South two firms of Organ and Piano dealers, who make it their business to buy up second-hand instruments, and, after retouching them, advertise them as new, at seemingly low prices, the imposition not being discovered until the instrument is paid for.

There are also Organ dealers advertising from New Jersey, elaining to be manufacturers, who, instead of manufacturing the instruments they advertise, purchase them from "Cheap John" makers, whose sole object is to sell. If any person wishes to be convinced of the above, I ask them, purely for their own benefit, to communicate with me, in whatever way they please, and I will freely undertake to supply all information needed, and they can then choose for themselves in purchasing.

selves in purchasing.

To show that I make this offer in good faith, I will undertake to forfeit and pay over the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS to any person to whom I fail

I would further state that I have just returned from New York, and have

Genuine Organs and Pianos, Instruments which have obtained Gold Medals and Diplomas at the Centennial,

AND I AM PREPARED TO SELL

Warranted Organs and Pianos at Lower Prices

than those quoted on the bogus instruments advertised by the unprincipled lealers who realize enormous profits on shoddy work.

BEING SOLE AGENT FOR

HORACE WATERS & SONS and for the STIEFF, the STECK, and the HAINES PIANOS,

ALSO FOR THE FOLLOWING CELEBRATED ORGANS:-

Meedham's "Silver-Tongue" The MASON & HAMLIN, the STANDARD, and the TABOR.

I can fill the bill for all Purchasers, both in Style and Price. To all parties desiring to purchase an instrument, of whatever description, I would point out that there is nothing to lose, and much to gain by communicating with me.

Respectfully,

W. P. ORMSBY, WINSTON, N. C.

May 22, 1879. No. 21. 6mo. Nissen Wagon Manufacturing Co Wagons, Carts, Wheelbarrows, &c.

Post Office SALEM, N.C.

1834. Best is always cheapest in the

. P. NISSEN.

WE are better prepared for making wagons than ever before, having a much larger and better stock of thoroughly air-seasoned lumber, and the best wagon mechanics to be procured.

We employ no apprentices, and always endeavor to make

OUR WORK OUR BEST ADVERTISEMENT. AND GUARANTEE SATISFACTION.

All who use wagons must not forget that first-class work cost more and is worth more than cheap work.

We also keep a large stock of BUILDING LUMBER and LONG LEAF SHINGLES, at lowest prices.

Waughtown, Forsyth County, N. C., Feb 27, 1878---no9tf.

JOHN GATLING, President, W. H. CROW, Vice W. S. PRIMROSE, Secretary and Treasurer, P. COWPER Adjuster and Supervisor. W. H. CROW, Vice-President

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Geo. B. Everitt, Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law WINSTON, N. C.,

WILL practice in the Courts of the Eighth adicial District, in the Supreme Court, and in the Federal Courts.

OFFICE in the one occupied by the late All business intrusted to my care hall receive prompt attention.

We know Mr. Everitt well; he is an accomplished gentleman and a good lawyer, and we cheerfully recommend him as such to the citizens of Forsyth.

Judge R. P. Dick, Hon. W. N. H. Smith,
-W. H. Bailey, C. S. Hauser, S. C. C. 34-tf.

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at Salem, N.C. BINCHAM SCHOOL. MEBANESVILLE, N. C.

The 171st Session begins July 30, 1879. Arrangements have been made by which a limited number of young men with small means can " MESS" at \$5 per month.

Board with furnished room RE-DUCED to \$12 per month; I ui-tion to \$50 per Session. For particulars address Maj. R. BINGHAM.

Kernersville Academy,

FORSYTH CO., N. C. The next term of 20 weeks will begin July 21st, 1879. Competent teachers, male and female. Terms to suit the times. Accuracy and promptness required. For particulars address

Rev. S. R. TRAWICK, A. M.,

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LOCAL ITEMS.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco SUBSCRIBE FOR THE PRESS. ohtheria has not entirely left Greensboro.

There is still some complaint of hog chola, in some sections.

ADVERTISE.-Persons wishing to advertise n the Farmer's and Planter's Almanac will ase hand in their favors without delay. Heavy rains Saturday night and Sunday enings. Meadows and bottom lands over-

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BLIND Dogs .-- We hear of several blind lors that are first rate on the hunt, treeing s many squirrels and 'possums as any other

anday morning and evening in September, eing the 13th and 14th. On Friday night last, a hop was given at

the Merchants' Hotel. complimentary to

Baptist church at Clemmonsville, on the 5th Sunday in this month, (31st.) Grapes are abundant in our market. Some of the finest we have ever seen. Every citizen can now indulge in a fruit desert after

John H. Sink has bought out H. A. Siddall's stock of goods in Winston, and will conduct the mercantile business at the same

Another "Cash Corner" fight on Sunday last, in which Jonah Matthews came off with an ugly cut. Before the Winston

We have noticed the corn crops south of this place, from time to time, and are pleased to say that we saw but little inferior corn. The prospect is very good as far as our observation extends.

We learn that a portion of Theo. Kimel's family will remove to town for the purpose of educating his children. They have taken rooms at the residence of Mrs. Heisler, on Salt street.

NEW Novels.-A fresh supply of Cheap BOOKSTORE. Come before they are all

The young ladies of Salem Female Academy, on the invitation of Sheriff Fogle, picniced near the residence of the late Wm. Thornton. A time honored resort on many

rent rooms and board themselves.

John Reich returned from a trip to Wythe-Mrs. Ewald to their home. John represents again. the agricultural interests of that section as

STILL THEY COME. Another large new lot of goods for E. A. EBERT'S five cent counter will arrive in a few days.

All are invited to call. Mrs. Rondthaler departed for Pennsylhusband who will sail from Europe the latter part of the present month.

Mrs. Lieut. Geo. E. Pond left on a visit to her relatives in Connecticut on Tuesday last. We wish both parties a safe and pleasant

Miss Mary M. Zevely is on a short visit to Raleigh, N. C.

Editors of Republican, Sentinel and Leader are off to Goldsboro, to attend the State Press

Judge Cloud is also at the Salem Hotel, as jovial as usual.

ECLIPSES.-None of the eclipses put down To Hon. W. H. WHEELER, in the Almanac this year will be visible here; but an eclipse not put down, will take place in few days, which will be visible, as the stock of Hardware S. E. Allen is now purof the kind ever brought to this market.

Mocking Birds.-Judging from the number of this famous singing bird, we see along the road, the laws protecting them are observed. This is right. There is nothing flow mellowly over the landscape.

Small game promises to be plentiful this

Season, the early summer drought being fa
of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad vorable for the rearing of all kinds of small game, such as rabbits, squirrels, partridges, the When the hunting season fully opens Mt. Airy end on a route common to Winston, We will considerable the affect of the ston, Kernersville and Greensboro, and for we will occasionally give a few hints, furnished by a friend, who knows all about it, and is capable of giving the best advice.

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DICTIONARIES. - Webster's unabridged, and National Pictorial Dictionaries at the SA-LEM BOOK STORE.

PERSONAL .- If the young lady, with the pimple on her nose, that attracted so much attention while passing those young gents the other evening, will use the celebrated imported English Soaps, sold by Smith, the Druggist, Winston, she will find that they

eradicate pimples, blotches, &c. Does.-It is said the Supreme Court has because a dog is not property.

A contemporary would like to know, if so, how can a dog law be passed. Another Noah Smith and E. J. Sapp, Kernersville asks, "if a dog is not property what is he?" Wm. Sprinkle, Vienna. [A greater portion of them are nuisances.]

PEACHES .- Wm. Ebert had the largest and best flavored free-stone peaches of the season on market last week. We examined a peck and did not find a faulty one among them. tacked a little tour year old daughter of Mr. Ebert also raised a fine lot of wheat. John Brower who was engaged in feeding He has now peas in blossom in an old sedge the animal, breaking her thigh, and other-

A PRETTY SIGHT .- W. A. Reich, while walking through his plantation, near town, a few days since, flushed an unusually fine covy of young partridges not half grown. We hear of numerous coveys around town.

The Road Supervisors (overseers) are being sworn in by the magistrates in their respective townships. We hope the roads will be made better, and that the Supervisors will use discretion and not go to working roads in a very busy time, when the farmer is anxious to push his work. Remember try and throw up the road in the middle, and it will not need much work after that

BUILDING LOTS in East and West Winston for sale CHEAP for cash. Enquire at the Bookstore.

We are gratified to learn that our young friend, J. C. Masten, formerly of this coun-The recent rains have filled up the gutters ty. is doing a good business at house painting in Person County. Most all of our Forsyth boys do well when they go from home.

Mr. Renard is remoddeling the building formerly used as a harness shop by Mr. Shore, and will make a comfortable dwelling. He expects to put up green-houses, for growing flowers and plants, on his premises, and to cultivate a vegetable garden situated on Marshall street.

ENTERPRISING DARKEY .- A colored woman, with an infant in her arms, passes our J. A. Robinson, of the Leader, gave the weloffice, morning and evening, to and from her work in a tobacco factory. Such industry is bound to meet with success. Besides Wanghtown on the 2nd Saturday night and | making a day's work, she runs the houses hold at home, making breakfast and sup- livered Temperance addresses, which are

Col. A. B. Gorrell, of Winston, has been appointed Chief Marshal of the State Fair next October. We congratulate frieud Gorrell, knowing that he will make an excellent chief officer. Capt. J. F. Hellen and Samuel H. Smith have been appointed aids from this district. We hope Forsyth county will be wide awake and make a fine display of Agricultural, Mechanical and Fancy

BE WISE.-In conversation with a citizen of this county, Monday, he informed us that his neighborhood formerly was very sickly, but since all the neighbors joined in and cleaned out the creek and drained the ponds and marshes, the neighborhood is healthy.

The citizens of other localities should do attend might furnish substitutes, and our plauded. The speeches of Rev. Mr. Battle, ing out the water-courses and draining wet a high order of merit. places would amply repay the time and laor expended.

tary boys are in for rifle practice. The boys | ceding this, was 4,270; initiated since, 1,of Salem, several years since, were good 857; admitted by card and restored, 251; shots, and distanced some of our rural total, 6,378; total loss, 2,738; present numfriends at shooting matches. Look to your ber, 3,640; number of lodges organized and laurels "Uncle Billy," and don't be caught | reinstated, 35; number of lodges in good Novels, Riverside, Lakeside and Franklin napping. It is considered creditable for a standing, 123; receipts during the year, \$1,-Square, latest editions, just received at the young man to be able to handle a rifle well, 623: disbursements, \$1,623. and with all due caution, there is but little danger. To be able to take a squirrel thro' the eye was and is yet something worth bragging about.

came near losing an eye a few weeks since. The Salem Boy's School opened with an The eye is injured to a considerable extent, three hundred children grand and great encouraging number of scholars. A good but hopes are entertained that the sight is ordinary, as well as classical education can not entirely gone. The accident happened his life. be had at this school. We hope arrange- while he was carrying a green hide partially ments can be made in families for cheap fleshed and the knife which held a portion board, or else arrange it so that parties can of the hide slipping or tearing out with force enough to strike Mr. Rank near the ball of the eye. He was unable to work for some ville, Virginia, having accompanied Mr. and ten days, but we are glad to see him about

hale and hearty, and jovial. We drank each same with a stone fence. other's health at our famous mineral spring. D. McNeill, Esq., of Montpelier, Richmond met with in many a day. Mr. McNeil pre- elected : sented us with a copy of his life of the Rev. Daniel White, a celebrated Scotch Baptist, L. E. Estes; W. L. D., J. H. G. Mitchell; well known in this State as a powerful P. W. C., J. B. Whitten; W. C., A. Wagonpreacher of the gospel. The pamphlet is er; W. T., Miss S. E. Pitzer; W. F. S., T. interesting, and we have read it with much R. Pepper; W. S., F. Mueller; W. M., R. O.

interest. The many friends of Dr. Wheeler will W. T. Estes. read the following with pleasure: COMPLIMENTARY .- Hon. Green B. Raum, Convention.

Judge Thos. Settle, and family, are registered at the Salem Hotel. The Judge is flooking well.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has sent the following letter to Dr. W. H. Wheeler, Collector of the 5th District of North Carolina, which as a mark of distinction is sufficient to awaken the pride of any public

officer :- Republican. TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

Office Internal Revenue, Collector Int. Rev., 5th Dist., N. C.

SIR,—It appears from an official examinapublic moneys collected by you during the fiscal year ended June 30th, 1879, have been chasing at the North will eclipse anything duly accounted for. This FAITHFUL DIS-CHARGE OF A PUBLIC TRUST merits commendation, and I take pleasure in tendering to you the thanks of this office therefor.

GREEN B. RAUM, Commissioner. Washington, D. C., Aug. 1, 1879. THE MOUNT AIRY RAILROAD,-We are more attractive to a country home than the pleased to notice the following proceedings singing of birds, "especially this "American of a Railroad meeting held in Greensboro Nightingale," whose moonlight carrolings on the 12th. The Central Protestant of the

14th says :

Another excursion to Piedmont Springs and the Sauratown mountains, on Wednesday, (yesterday.)

SCHOOL TEACHERS .- We are indebted to S. H. Everett, School Examiner, for the following list of applicants who received certificates as teachers:

First Grade.-H. L. Beckerdite, Salem; decided that it is not larceny to steal a dog E. W. Hauser and Flavius M. Pfaff, Betha-Second Grade .- John W. Snider, Winston

> Third Grade.-Julius D. Anderson and Cyrus A. Long, Bethania.

A DANGEROUS PET .- A tame bear, at Mt. Airy, Surry county, becoming enraged, atwise injuring her. These pets will do very well while cubs, but are always more or less dangerous when grown.

Internal Revenue Collections of the Fifth District, for the week ending Saturday, Au-

Monday\$	2,063	54
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Tuesday	3,429	86
Wednesday	4,028	77
Thursday	1,348	13
	3,673	07
Saturday	2,975	97

GRAND LODGE OF INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS.—The Grand Lodge of I. O. G. T., of North Carolina, assembled in Tice's Hall, on Tuesday, the 12th instant. About forty lodges were represented. The Lodge organized at about 10 o'clock. An afternoon business session was con-

vened at 2:30 P. M. The evening entertainments were public and largely attended. The addresses were spirited and appropriate. The singing was spirited and appropriate. The singing was Horn of the Druzes, Visiling, Two Women perhaps the best of the kind ever heard here at the Mill, Wedding Feasts, Parable of the before. The Hickman Lodge, Raleigh bore off the palm. The Duett, with organ accompaniment, was well received, and was considered the gem of the evening.

Rev. Paul J. Carraway, of the Methodist E. Church, delivered the welcome address in behalf of the citizens of Winston, and come address in behalf of the Lodge. Both his addresses were good.

G. W. C. T., T. C. Williams, of Warrenton, and J. T. Little, of Mecklenburg, dehighly spoken of. Mr. Little's speech was full of earnest counsel, humor and common sense. As an orator of the peculiar temperance style, Mr. L. is inimitable. The sessions were harmonious and all were well pleased with everybody and eve-

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year : G, W. C. T .- T. C. Williams, of Warren-

G. W. Counsellor.-J. C. Ellington, of Clayton. G. W. V. T.-Miss Mary E. Lyon, of G. W. Sec.—V. Ballard, of Raleigh.
G. W. Treas.—Mrs. E. C. Beckwith, o

Raleigh. Representatives to the Right Worthy Grand Lodge.—W. S. Ball, of Greensboro, and N. B. Broughton, of Raleigh.

Capt. McNeil, of Richmond county, delivlikewise. Those who cannot conveniently ered a splendid address, and was loudly apword for it, the benefits derived from clean- and Messrs. Broughton and Ball were all of

The report of the Secretary shows that the number of member of the order in the State The Republican announces that the miliat the time of the annual report next pre-

says: Mr. Jacob Smith who was one hundred years old on the second day of this month, ate dinner the other day with Dr. NARROW Escape.—Benjamin Rank, one John Pepper's family, gets about with more of the employees at the Salem Tan Yard, ease than a man of seventy years of age, says he has seen his 4th generation, has over

> Hog cholera bad in Stokes. Some farmer informed the Reporter that blue stone is a employed in such service.
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> In case any citizen fail to follow the sugsure remedy:-1 of an ounce mixed with a small quantity of slop, and given once a week.

Messrs. Pepper & Sons are making arrangements to go into sheep raising. They W. W. McDairmid, Esq., of the Lumberton have selected an extensive pasture on the flourishing, having seen cornfields of 90 Robesonian, called on us last week. He is Sauratown mountains, and are enclosing the

I. O. G. T .- As announced, a number of people assembled in the Court-House in county, formerly of the Wadesboro Argus, Danbury, on last Thursday night for the and yet connected with the State press, also purpose of organizing a Lodge of Good gave us a good hearty Scotch handshaking. Templars, which resulted in enrolling 13 M. J. McLeod, of Hamlet, was with him, charter members. After the pledge was advania on Tuesday evening last, to meet her and all are as clever gentlemen as we have ministered the following officers were

W. C. T., M. I. Stewart; W. V. T., Miss Pepper; W. I. G, E. W. Blair; W. O. G.,

After the Lodge was fully organized, M. . Stewart was unanimously elected to represent the new organization in the Grand

Lodge. The time of meeting was fixed for Friday night of each week. Several accessions are Front Lace, expected at next meeting.-Reporter.

The following cases were disposed of after our re State vs. Mattle Brown, larceny, guilty, 3 years in pententiary. State vs. Wm. Montgomery, larceny, guilty, 3 years in the penitentiary.
State vs. Tilda France, larceny, guilty, 1 year in the penitentiary.
State vs. John W. Satterfield, a and b, guilty, \$1 and ost. State vs. Jacob Fulton, larceny, guilty, 1 penny and

State vs. Dorcus Wall, affray, guilty, \$1 and cost. State vs. Ben Psimer, a and b, guilty, \$2 and cost. State vs. Julius Roberts, a and b. not guilty. State vs. Josb Knight, peace warrant, cost. State vs. Ras. Hanes, a and b, guilty, \$2 and cost. State vs. Josb Knight, a and b, continued. State vs. Jeffrey Hughes, larceny, nol pros with leave. State vs. Ed. McKnight, a and b, guilty, \$10 and cost.
State vs. Melvin Clark, a and b, not guilty.
State vs. Berry Morgan, a and b, guilty, \$i0 and cost.
State vs. Rankin Foust, larceny, nol pros with leave.
State vs. Alf. Farrington and others, affray, continued.
State vs. Pures Pitts, affray, guilty, cost.

inued. State vs. Rufus Pitts, affray, guilty, cost. State vs. Wash Crews, bastardy, guilty, cost. State vs. Jordan Hilton, a and b. continued. In the Supreme Court the case of Mast vs. Raper,

FOR SALE CHEAP! One fine saddle and buggy horse, and sett single harness. Light one horse meeting of the Board.

As to the Cape Fear Division, this will be pushed to completion as soon as possible, on a direct line from Ore Hill to Greensboro.

Single Harness. Bight to learn the series of the Horse Hapress wagon, nearly new, with two seats buggy, umbrella and extra spring. Also good saddle, riding bridle and saddle bags. Enquire at Foy's Livery stable, Winston, N. C. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!

INDULGE IN W. MELLER'S ELEGANT ICE CREAM, these hot days. Pure Cream made every day. The most refreshing delicacy known.

CAKES always to be had with it Call and see us, one and all, We'll serve you well, and make you want

again and see F. W. MELLER. Circulars, Testimonials, &c.,

IN REFERENCE TO THE PROPOSEI LECTURES A. O. VAN LENNEP BEFORE

Salem Sunday School.

It is proposed to secure the services of this eminent Lecturer, some time this Fall, and this method is adopted to bring into notice and to the generous consideration of our community, the character and excellence of these Lectures. They will consist of exhibitions of Oriental Life in Turkey, Egypt and Holy Land, illustrative of Bible Manners and Customs; with explanatory Lectures by Mr. Aug. O. Van Lenner, the Oriental Lecturer and Sunday School Worker pative of Turkey, and for 30 years a recommendation. er, native of Turkey, and for 30 years a resident of the East, assisted by gentlemen, ladies and children, all in genuine Oriental The following will serve to give an idea of the Lecturers subjects:

Lectures of Mr. A. O. Van Lennep. No. 1.-Oriental Costumes, Mantle, Girdle, andals, Salutations, Bowing, Selam, Meals Arab Scheikhs, Scribes, Ink-horns, Ancient Rolls, The Shepherd, Staff, Sling, Carries ambs in his bosom, &c., &c.

(Assistants required, 3 gentlemen 2 lads.) No. 2.-Oriental Farmer, Plow, Ox-goad Bastinado, Sacca, Skin-Bottles, Beggars, "Ellieson me," Lepers, Highway Robbers, Dervisches, Mahomedan Worships, Cry of the Muezzin. (Assistants, 6 gentlemen.)

No. 3.—Oriental Women, Costumes, Veils, ten Virgins explained. (Assistants, 9 ladies, 1 small girl.) No. 4.-From Dan to Beersheba,-Georaphical and Historical

o. 5.-Jerusalem, the Holy City. No. 6.—Tents, Caves, Booths, Houses No. 7.—Agriculture of Bible Lands.

In addition, Mr. VAN LENNEP brings with Oriental Museum,

Articles of Dress. Agricultural Implements, Household Furniture, Musical Instruments,

Coins, Relics, Bible Animals and Birds. Plants and Flowers of the Bible Paintings and Diagrams, Models and Elevations, Maps and Plans,

Photographs, Rolls and Parchments, Ceramics and Idols, &c., &c. all neatly labled, with an appropriate pasage of scripture attached.

Testimonials. From H. C. Trumbull, editor of the Sun

day School Times, Philadelphia: * * Your Lecture on Bible Customs interested me exceedingly. It was as attractive to the little ones as it was instruct ive to older persons. My little children thought it "perfectly splendid," and only regretted that it had an end. They could have sat all night to hear you. I wish all

who teach or learn in the Sunday School, could have the benefit of your living illus-trations of facts of the Bible. From Rev. F. Widmer, M. E. Church, Pittsfield, Massachusetts :

* * * Every body seemed delight-ed,—old men and boys, alike;—the edu-cated and the uncultured were held with great interest for the whole evening. say it was the best thing ever given here. From Rev. A. S. Baird, Presbyterian Church,

* * I take much pleasure to all lovers of Bible study, that Mr. A. O. Van Lennep, as a lecturer, will most amply repay any Christian community that will avail themselves of the benefit of his Lectures,—especially Sunday School teachers and adult scholars.

TOWN ORDINANCE.

Resolved, That every June, or as soon thereafter as may be, the Board of Commissioners shall elect a Health Inspector, to serve during the term of that Board, and his duty shall be to make a thorough canvass of the town, and see to the removal or repair of everything likely to be detrimental to the general health. He shall make such canvass whenever, and as often as may be ordered by the Board, and for compensation shall receive \$2.50 for every day

gestion of the health officer, he shall report the case to the Board, and they will declare the matter a nuisance, or take such other steps as may appear necessary.

J. F. SHAFFNER, Mayor.

L. N. CLINARD, Secretary. Salem, N. C., August 15th, 1869. All parties holding Bonds and Coupons of the

CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C., will please send for Financial Circular.
HENRY SAVAGE, Treasurer

DIED. In Lewisville, on Thursday last, Miss

ALICE MOCK, aged 20 years. She was much loved by all who knew her, and was a consistent member of the M. E. Church since 1872.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES We have received a lot of fine

LADIES SHOES, made to our order in BALTIMORE:

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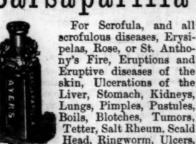
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died several years ago, and consequently is not in this exhibition, where can be found Door Locks, Knobs, Latches, Window Glass, Putty, Doors, Sash, Blinds, Buggy and Wagon Material, Tinware, Bolts, the celebrated New York Enamel Paint, and everything else kept in a first-class Hardware House, at very low prices.

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FORSYTH COUNTY: Great Exhibition is hereby given to all persons indebted to the Estate of said Sarah A. Winkler.

> said estate will present them to me on or before the 3rd day of July, 1880, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
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> Public Adm'r of Forsyth Co. June 30th, 1879.-27.

> THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore ex-H. W. Fries, doing business in the town of Salem, N. C., under the name of Patterson & Co., is this day dissolved by the

May 3d, 1879.

favor him with their custom. As goodcan only be bought at the very lowest rates by paying cash. all persons in-debted to the old firm will please come forward and make settlement, so that liberal inducement can be offered in fu-ture. I intend to sell as cheap as goods can be laid down at, and on some in stock below the cost. I will prove this to any one on a trial.

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The waters roll up on the rock-strewn beach. With a music too deep and sweet for speech: Sometimes they are merry and glad and free And they dance and sparkle and laugh with glee. Sometimes they are sullen and capped with white.

And they smite the shore with a flerce delight; Through chasms secret and underground, They press their way with a thunderous sound, And they boom and break, and dash and roar, In their wild and passionate rage with the

But the dark, gray rocks on either hand Ever like faithful sentinels stand. Listless and cold when the waters play, Danntless and bold when the angry spray Of the storm-driven waves dashes higher and higher,

And the ocean seethes in its mad desire Now, once and forever, to break its bands, And sweep in triumph the desolate lands. So about our lives the currents flow, Now wild and swift, now gentle and slow,

Now luring us on to soft delight, Now smiting with almost resistless might.

Unmindful alike of the tempest shocks, And of sweet beguiling that smiles and sings, May keep firm our hold on eternal things !

FOR THE FARMER'S HOUSEHOLD.

Winter Oats. These oats are as distinct from the ordinary summer varieties as winter wheat is from spring wheat, and not only yield more per acre, but weigh more to the will have ample time to become well- Boil down the sirup, and when frost, and thus not only prevent the soil very nice preserve for tea. from washing, and furnish the best of grazing in winter and early spring, but withstand the severest freezing, provided they are kept grazed down and not allowed to 'joint,' for in that event they

are as likely to be killed in that condi-

As pasturage for milch cows with calves and ewes having lambs they are considered invaluable, no other fall-sown grain equaling them in that respect, or will yield as large a return at harvest. But these are not their only good qualities: If sown upon the same land for four or five years in succession they have been found the best if not the only way effectually to rid the ground of wild onions. They ripen in June, before the onions have had time to seed, and by turning the stabble down as soon as the crop is harvested and removed the onions are turned up, and thus not only subjected to severe freezing in winter, but are afforded no opportunity to form a head, and their vitality, being subjected to this double pressure, is finally

Preparing Bone Dust for Manure.

It may be desirable, when applying bone dust to wheat at the time of seeding, that its action should be somewhat hastened, in order to give the wheat a applied in the usual form it is not apt to show its effect until the following sp ring, when its action will be as satisfactory as it is perceptible. But if it is composted with ashes and sifted wood earth, and kept moistened for a few weeks before using, its action will be considerably accelerated. The potash contained in the ashes will so act upon the bone as to render it soluble the sooner, and any fertilizing properties that might otherwise escape, will be absorbed by the woods earth. In order, therefore, to accomplish this, take a barrel of pure, finely-ground raw bone, and mix with it an equal quantity of good hard wood ashes, and a similar quantity of woods earth, adding thereto gradually, during the operation of mixing, as much water as will moisten the whole. The heap may be made on the floor of the barn, or other outbuilding, or upon any dry place, using a hoe to mix the same thoroughly. The water will be just sufficient to liberate the caustic alkalies, potash and soda, and these, reacting on the gelatine of the bones and dissolving the little atoms, will form a kind of soap well fitted as plant food. A barrel of this mixture is worth considerably more than a like quantity of any of the commercial fertilizers used, and at half the cost. If the materials are very dry at the time of mixing, the more will take to render the same sufficiently moist, although care should be exercised not to have it too moist for handling. It will be ready for use in a week or ten days after being made. The bone should be pure, raw and finely ground, and the best of ashes to be had. If, however, the latter are not to be had, potash may be used as a substitute by dissolving twelve pounds of the same in about ten gallons of hot water and thoroughly saturating the bones with the solution, mixing the woods earth there-

with afterward. Girdling Grapevines Prof. Goessman has recently shown some remarkable results both in the stump as though it had been cheese. quality of the fruit and the period of week of August, when the free acid of a similar experience myself once. My the Concord grape had reached its highest taste and its grape sugar had begun to increase. Experiments were made of. upon the girdled vines matured fully two weeks in advance of the ungirdled

that were girdled a year ago were in fine condition this season, and, although in most instances fully healed over, the girdlings seemed to produce the same ffect on the first fruit as the first year.

Domestic Notes. HAMBURG CREAM .- Ten eggs; two ups white sugar; three lemons. Take the yelks of the eggs, the sugar, the grated rind and juice of the lemons, and beat together; boil them three minutes; add the whites beaten separately, and cook one minute more. To be eaten

CURRANT JELLY .- Allow three-quar ters pound of sugar to one of juice; boil juice hard fifteen minutes; heat the su gar in the oven, add to juice and boil hard five minutes; put into molds, sprinkle with finely pulverized sugar (to called out : prevent mold) and seal either hot or

COOKING SALT FISH, - Cut a square the size desired from the thickest part of the fish, take off the skin, wash clean and broil for ten minutes on clear coals, then dip in boiling water, butter and serve This is a nice relish for breakfast and tea, and with potatoes makes a palatable and economical dinner.

OATMEAL PUDDING,-Mix two ounce of fine Scotch oatmeal in a quarter of a God grant that we all, like these strong, gray pint of milk; add to it a pint of boiling milk; sweeten to taste, and stir over the fire for ten minutes; then put in two ounces of sifted bread crumbs; stir until the mixture is stiff, then add one ounce of shred suet, and one or two well beat en eggs; add a little lemon flavoring or grated nutmeg. Put the pudding into a buttered dish and bake slowly for an

APPLE PRESERVES .- Pare, halve and core six large apples of the same size, Make a sirup of a pound of granulated sugar and a pint of water. When the sirup boils, drop the apples in, with the They are sown in the month of juice and rind of a lemon. Take the August and September, a bushel to the halves out one by one as soon as they acre, and can be sown much earlier than are tender. Care must be taken that wheat because they are not liable, like they do not fall to pieces. Arrange in a wheat, to be attacked by the 'fly.' With glass dish with the core side up. Drop good seasons and sown thus early they a bit of current jelly into each piece rooted and form large 'stools' before pour around the apples. This makes a

BRUISES AND SPRAINS, which are liable to occur at any time, are much more quickly cured if treated immediately on their occurrence. The effect of a bruise is to rupture some of the smaller blood vessels near the surface, and the blood being poured out under the skin, forms the black and blue spots, so called .-When such an accident occurs, a stream of cold water directed on the part and continued as long as it can be borne. and then renewed after a time, will often prevent swelling, and will contract the mouths of the ruptured vessels. Such a method may be applied by pouring water on the part from a height, from a pitcher or coffee pot. A rubber tube may be attached to a faucet, and the water thus conducted. The parts should be tightly bandaged afterward, and the bandages soaked with tincture of arnica,

Washington Irving's Prediction

Verified. Writing to his niece from Sunnyside so worried out that these abominable in 1853, Washington Irving said: Loupests are forced to succumb. There is is Napoleon and Eugenie Montijo, emanother quality, however, which, if peror and empress of the French! one true, is still more important: It is said of whom I have had a guest at my cotby those who have thus grown them that tage on the Hudson; the other whom, the yield will not only increase from when a child, I had on my knees at year to year, but the improvement of the Granada. It seems to cap the climax of and is quite as marked as if it had been the strange dramas of which Paris has treated to a clovering. Now it is gener- been the theater during my lifetime. I ally supposed that spring cats have the have repeatedly thought that each coup effect of impoverishing rather than im- de theater would be the last that would proving the land. But might not this occur in my time; each has been suc-be attributable to the fact that no weeds ceeded by another equally as striking. spring up after them to protect and The last I saw of Eagenie Montijo she shade the land from the scorching effects | was one of the reigning belles of Madof the summer's sun? whereas with win- rid, and she and her giddy circle had ter oats the case is different. The land being plowed in the fall or autumn, the seed of weeds have matured, and being dissipation. Now Engenie is upon a turned under at that time, are ready to throne, and —— a voluntary recluse spring up immediately on the removal of in a convent of one of the most rigorous the crop, but when plowed down in orders. Poor ———! Perhaps, however spring they are buried so deep that by er, her fate may ultimately be the hapthe time they get out of the ground the piest of the two. The storm with her oats are so far advanced as to smother 'is o'er, and she's at rest,' but the other is launched from a returnless shore on a dangerous sea, infamous for its tremendous shipwrecks. Am I to live to see the catastrophe of her career, and the end of this suddenly conjured-up em pire, which seems to be of such stuff as dreams are made of! I consider it as better start before winter sets in. When liable to extravagant vicissitudes as one of Damas' novels.

Hard vs. Soft Water.

It may be pleasant to those who live in a region of our country where nothing but hard water is to be had, to be informed, by so good authority as Dr. Tidy, the well-known chemist, of the results of his observations on the use of and he retired without another word or a hard water for culinary and domestic

Hard water is the best dietetically, because of the lime,
It makes better tea, although not so dark colored, owing to the fact that soft

water dissolves the bitter extractive Press, matters which color the tea, but ruin the aroma. It relieves thirst, which soft water

does not. It does not dissolve lead or organic

matter, which soft water does. It is generally good colored, soft water being as a rule dark colored and unpleasant looking; hence in places supplied with soft water, they always put it (in hotels) in dark bottles, to hide the color. A soft water, however, is a better detergent, and requires less soap. -For a residential town a water which has over ten degrees of hardness would be best. For manufacturing towns a soft water would be the most advisable, for commercial considerations only.

A Story Teller Vanquished.

'When I was a young man,' said Col. B., we lived in Illinois. The farm had been well wooded, and the stumps were pretty thick. But we put the corn in among them, and managed to raise a fair crop. The next season I did my share of the plowing. We had a 'sulky' plow, and I sat in the seat and managed the horses, four as handsome bays as ever a man drew rein over. One day I found a stump right in my way. I hated to back out, so I just said a word to the team, and, you'll believe it, they just walked that plow right through that Not a soul expressed surprise. But Maj. S., who had been a quiet listener, redevelopment, by girdling the grapevine.

S., who had been a quiet listener, remarked quietly: 'It's curious, but I had

mother always made our clothes in those days, as well as the cloth they were made The old lady was awfully proud of with whole vines and with branches, her homespun-said it was the strongest Two incisions were made through the cloth in the State. One day I had just bark and camblum layers from an eighth to a quarter of an inch in width, and the blowed through a white oak stump in the way you speak of, colonel. But it substance between removed. The fruit upon the girdled vines matured fully together before I was out of the way. and nipped the seat of my trousers. vines. Professor Goessman picked fully matured fruit from a girdled vine at his residence fully three weeks in advance of the fruit on the ungirdled to the semantic of the se branches of the same vine, The vines you know,'

The Man With a Bear.

Among the baggage coming down on Flint & Pere Marquette train the other day, was a full-grown black bear. Bruin had been in captivity for two or three years, and was on his way East for a zoological garden. His owner was allowed to ride with him in the baggagecar, and he seemed to think his bear was the greatest animal on earth. He was ready to bet that bruin could out-hug and out-bite anything human, and was rather disappointed when the railroad men refused to dispute this point with him. He was indulging in his brag when an old man came into the car to see about his trunk. He saw the bear of med with white satin or else black course, but the glance of contempt he bestowed on the animal instantly kindled the indignation of the owner, who

'Mebbe you think I'm toting an old hyena around the country?' 'I guess it's a bear,' slowly replied the but I see nothing remarkable other, about him.

'You don't, eh? Well, I do! Mebbe

you'd like to see him hug that trunk of yours? What he can't sliver when he gets his paws around it has got to have roots forty feet under ground." 'I've got a son back in the car-,' reflectively observed the old man, and then he stopped and looked at the bear.

'Your son? Egad! Will you match your son agin my bear?' chuckled the owner as he danced with delight. 'You do! Bring him in! Trot him out ! I'll give him all the show he wants and bet five to one on the bear !'

The old man slowly took in a chew of bacco, left the car, and when he returned he had his son Martin with him. Martin seemed to be about twenty-seven years of age and a little taller than a hitching-post. He was built on the ground, with a back like a writing desk and arms which seemed to have been sawed from railroad ties.

'Martin, this 'ere man wants to bet five to one that his bear can out-hug you,' quietly explained the father as the son sat down on a trunk.

'Yes, that's it-that's just it!' cackled the owner; 'I'll muzzle him so he can't bite, and I'll bet five to one he'll make you holler in two minutes!'

'Muzzle your b'ar !' was all that Martin said as he pulled out a five dollar bill and handed it to the baggageman. The bear-man put \$25 with it, grinning like a boy in a cherry tree, and in a minute he had the bear ready. Martin removed his coat and paper collar and carelessly inquired: 'Is this to be a squar' hug, with no

gonging? 'Jess so-jess !' replied the bear man. 'You hug the bear and he will hug you, and the one who squeals first loses cash. Now, then, all ready.'

As Martin approached, the bear rose up with a sinful glare in his eye, and the two embraced. It was a sort of backhold, with no sell-out on the crowd. 'Go for him, Hunyado!' yelled the bear man as they closed, and the bear responded. One could see by the set of his eyes that he meant to make jelly of that young man in a York minute, but he failed to do it. Some little trifles stood in his way. For instance, it wasn't ten seconds before he realized that two could play at hugging. Martin's hand sank down in the bear's coat, the shoulder muscles were called on for duty, and at the first hug the bear rolled his eyes

n astonishment. 'Go in, Hunyado-go in-go in! screamed the bear man, and bruin laid himself out as if he meant to pull a railroad water tank down.

'You might squeeze a little bit harder, my son,' carelessly suggested the father, as he spit from the open door, and Martin called out his reserve muscle. Each had his best grip. There was no

tumbling around to waste breath, but it was a stand-up, stand-still hugging match. Little by little the bear's eyes began to bulge and his mouth to open, and Martin's face slowly grew to the color of red paint. 'Hang to him, Hunyado-I've got my

last dollar on your head!' shrieked the bear man, as he saw a further bulge to his pet's eyes.

But it was no use. All of a sudden the bear began to yell and cough and strangle. He was a goner. Martin knew it, but he wanted no dispute, and so he gave Hunyado a lift from the floor, a hug which rolled his eyes around like a pin-wheel, and then dropped him in a eap on the floor.

Well, may I be shot!' gasped the bear man, as he stood over the halflifeless heap of hair and claws. 'Martin,' said the father, as he handed

him the thirty dollars, 'you'd better go back thar' and watch our sachels!' 'Yes, I guess so,' replied the son, as he shoved the bills in his vest pocket, look at the bear.

That was the bear they were feeding gruel in a saloon on Randolph street two evenings ago—one man was feeding him gruel and another feeling along his spine to find the fracture,-Detroit Free

Yellow Fever Vagaries.

Many years have passed since the re-Bahia was twice left the sole survivor of the crew, and remained for days in the corpse-peopled ship unhurt. But, despite these singular cases, the recent experience of Jamaica shows that the best safeguard against the pest is scrupulous cleanliness.

The Ever-Present Conscience.

Edward B. Adams killed a man at Rome, Ohio, ten years ago. The crime would probably have been pronounced. by a jury manslaughter in a low degree f there had been a trial, but Adams fled, and was not caught. He established himself in business successively at three distant points in the West, under as-sumed dames, but in each instance was frightened away by a glimpse of some-body from Rome. At length he enlisted for five years in the army. His term recently expired, and he returned to his old home, gave himself up, and requested a trial, being convinced that the penalty of his crime could not be worse than to remain a fugitive.

A shooting affray occurred at the farm residence of Lucas Covert, near Columbus, Indiana, at the breakfast table between his sons Henry and Alick, in which Henry was instantly killed and Alick one mind cannot make so good a paper

Fashion Notes:

Shell jewelry is worn again. Lace ruffles are better than linen cuffs or traveling, as they keep cleaner. A rat seated at an easel, ostensibly painting, is an odd searf pin design.

Ladies' dress boots are of fine kid. with round toe and high, narrow heel. Cameos are again fashionable, and are pecially affected by young lied. | esu

They are to be a favorite jewelry for It is the fancy at present to use white ribbons, belt and sash with thin white dresses, and the Leghorn hat is trim-

Gray and cardinal red are seen toother in some of the most stylish costumes. For instance, a gray grenadine is trimmed with lengthwise bands of cardinal satin on the front of the lower

All little girls, and even misses, and all little boys to the age of five years and a half, wear the English dress, loose-fitting, and greatly resembling a sackcoat, giving perfect liberty to their

Linen lawn neckties or those of India mull are made long enough to pass around the neck inside of the linen collar, the ends forming a bow in front .-The ends are either hemstitched fancifully or exquisitely embroidered.

A new kind of goods-cachemire shot with gold threads-will be used for corsages, combined with plain cachemire the same shade, trimmed with flounces; that is to say, made of several shades of the color of the cachemire. Gold embroidery has recently enjoyed great success, but its use is of perimil brown, ecru and black, for black is more than ever the favorite color of fashion.

The hair is arranged decidedly lower: bandeaux slightly waved, small chignons but little developed, and at most one or two long curls. The parting of the hair extends from the forehead almost to the neck. This, it must be admitted, is a coiffure rather for a young girl than a woman, since not to be hideously ugly therewith one must be extremely young, with finely cut features and a well-shaped head.

The gayest and most youthful-looking dresses worn at Saratoga and other watering-places are short costumes of Pompadour silk. These are made of the soft foulards and satin-striped silks, with small bright-colored flowers strewn over cream, white or pale mastic gray grounds. They are usually in com bination with silk of a darker color and of contrasting hus, chosen with reference to the color prevailing in the gay figure.

The Bazar says: One of the prettiest nansook costumes has one deep shirred flounce, four inches of which is embroidered in an open design, and above this are six fine tucks in a cluster. The deep overskirt is parted open down the middle, and the space is filled in with six narrow ruffles embroidered and tucked and arranged in a pyramid; the edge of the overskirt has the wide embroidery upon it, and the back is very simply draped.

Killing the Wrong Man. At Elkton, Tenn., W. H. Scrugge shot two loads of buskshot into Foster Patterson, from which death ensued in about ten minutes. In February last Ben Patterson, a brother of the deceased, was to be married to Miss Alice Scruggs, a daughter of W. H. Scruggs. and the supper and other necessary arrangements had been made for the marriage, but at the appointed time Ben Patterson failed to put in an appearance. Since that time Ben Patterson has been absent in Sumner county. It was re-ported a few days ago that he would return home Sunday. Early on a Monday morning Scruggs was seen in an outhouse on the road leading from Patterson's to Elkton, armed with a doublebarrel shotgun. In the afternoon Foster Patterson, in company with his sisters, passed the house where Spruggs was stationed. They were traveling in a carriage on their way to Elkmont Springs. Scruggs followed to Elkton, where Patterson had stopped to repair his carriage, his sisters having left the carriage. Soruggs, being of the opinion that it was Ben Patterson, without saying a word, commenced shooting. After the shotgun was emptied, and while Patterson was lying on the ground, Scruggs attempted to shoot him with a pistol, but the cap failed to fire. The only words Patterson uttered were: 'You are mistaken; I am not Ben Patterson.' Scruggs had determined to kill Ben Patterson, and was evidently mistaken in taking the life of a brother of the one whom he conceived had done him and his family a great injury. Both families are highly respected, and this unfortunate

affair is deeply regretted.

A Matrimonial Speculation. Some time ago a resident of Bergen, N. J., lost his wife. Desiring again to enter the connubial state, and marriageable ladies not being plentiful in that vicinity, he made a proposition to a ped-dler who chanced that way, offering him \$50 to secure him a wife. This peddler, who seems to have been a sort of a matrim or pleasantry; of 'their good friend and ally, Gen. Yellow Fever,' whose ravages had reduced the French invadents from 35,000 to 7,000 in a single a woman in Mount Morris, by the terms summer. But the scourge is still as of which he was to receive a like sum formidable as ever, and not less capri-cious than formidable. At the Brazilian portunity was a grand one for speculaport of Pernambuco, in 1872, the ships tion, and the peddler succeeded in bringin the harbor were throwing their dead ing the two together, and they were overboard by dozens, while the town it- united. By the terms of the agreement self was almost untouched. At Rio de he was to receive \$50 from each, but Janeiro, a few years later, many residents remained in the city with impunity throughout the whole of the sickly season, while numbers of those who had and they concluded that one hundred fled died soon after their return. A dollars was too good pay for the service cabinboy on a bark in the roadstead of he had done them. After parleying some time, an agreement was entered to give the peddler their joint and several note for \$75. This compromise was accepted, and the peddler took the note, which recently became due, and was presented for payment. Sad as the circumstances are, the second wife had died before the note matured, but the unfortunate man accepted the situation resignedly, and paid the \$75.

Editor's Work.

Some people, ignorant of what good editing is, imagine the getting up of se-lected matter to be the easiest work in the world to do, whereas it is the nicest work done on any paper. If they see the editor with scissors in his hand, they are sure to say: 'Eh! that's the way you get up original matter, eh?' accompanying their new and witty ques-tions with an idiotic wink or smile. The selected matter, because he knows that

FACTS AND FANCIES.

Masterpiece-the teacher's rod. The pawnbroker leads a loan-sum

'Can You Support Me, Darling?' is the prosaic title of a new song.

It too often happens that the free pass is mightier than the free press. The verdant youths who bet on the

wrong horse were green-backers. It is less pain to study and learn in youth than to be ignorant in old age. In a malarial district of Indiana they have a base ball club they call the 'Qui

Weather strips at this season include the coat, vest, collar and shoes, and sometimes more.

It is proof positive that Noah was not bald-headed man or he never would have let a fly in the ark. The nice young lady who goes to ienic in a white dress and sits down on

siderably greener. A Lambertville, N. J., horse in some inexplicable manner got his hind foot fast in his teeth, and his shoe had to be loosened before he could be relieved.

During a trial in New York a been wagon driver testified that he frequently drank 100 glasses of lager in a day without becoming intoxicated. Another in dividual boasted of imbibing 105 glasses,

A Maine political speaker mentioued somebody as a Shylock, and an auditor asked who Shylock was. 'If you don't know,' the orator scornfully replied, 'you'd better go home and read your Bible,' A newly married lady was telling

another how nicely her husband could write, 'Oh, you should just see some of his love letters!' 'Yes, 1 know,' was the freezing reply; 'I've got a bushel of them at home in my trunk,'

A young lady being taken to task for tight lacing, said that she resorted to the practice on purely economical grounds. 'How is that?' asked her reprover. 'Why,' she replied, 'I lace tightly simply to prevent waistfulness.'

Mrs. Armitage, of Columbus, Ohio, has a ten weeks old girl which weighs only three pounds. At its birth it balanced the scale at three-quarters of a pound, and a finger ring went on its arm to the elbow. It is perfectly formed and

The remarkable thing about the recent marriage in Wayne county, Ga., of Mr. William R. Sloan and Miss Martha A. Head, is that the bride was only ten years of age. The marriage took place at her father's house and presumably with his approval.

The elephant Jennie, at the zoological gardens, Philadelphia, is now used as a common carrier, a howdah, with a capacity for carrying six children at a time, having been erected and placed upon her back. The children enjoy the sport immensely.

'And how does Charlie like going to school?' kindly inquired a good man of the little six-year-old boy, who was waiting with a tin can in hand the advent of another dog. 'I like goin' well 'nough,' replied the embryo statesman ingeniously, 'but I don't like stayin' af-

ter I git there.' A woman at Greensburg, Ind., was not sure that she wished to die, but thought she did; so she put her neck into a noose, stepped off a chair, taking precaution to hold a sharp knife in her hand. The choking left her no longer in doubt that she still desired to live, and she hastily cut the rope above her

head. An engagement not mentioned in the official reports from South Africa was fought between a column of British troops and some shadows. An officer. seeing these shadows moving on a hill in the moonlight, mistook them for advancing Zulus, and artillery was set to work to disperse them, but they held their ground.

The dust was flying thick and fast O'ermany a worried passer-by, And soon a grain of sand was cast Into a little boy's bright eye. He brushed away the upper crust, And said, with look so wondrons wise:

"When I am dead and turned to dust,

I won't blow up in people's eyes.' Many cities are starting cooking clubs. That is a move in the right direction. Good cooking is better than poor poetry. It is a solemn fact that the girl who knows how to grease the frying-pan is worth more about dinner time than the one who can fluently conjugate all the French verbs, and who can begin with omega and sing the Greek alpha-

bet backward. French sporting men, in searching out for a novelty in the racing line, matched two horses to trot ninety miles without stopping. One of the poor brutes dropped dead before the comple-tion of the task, and the other immediately after. On dissecting the latter animal it was found the blood had become thoroughly decomposed, and was simply a white liquid.

A young lady graduate in a neighboring county read an essay entitled 'Enployment of Time.' Her composition was based on the text, 'Time wasted is existence; used, is life.' The next day she purchased eight ounces of zephyr of different shades and commenced working a sky-blue dog, with sea-green ears and a pink tail, on a piece of yellow can-She expects to have it done by vas. next Christmas,

The German Emperor William, at his late golden wedding, hobbled round at the reception with the aid of an ivory cane. At his first wedding, fifty years previously, he figured conspicuously at mock medieval tournament. His young bride was the queen of beauty, and bestowed rewards upon the knights for their feats of dex'erity. The silver wedding, twenty-five years ago, was also celebrated with pomp. He had then be-come prince of Prussia and the heir apparent to the throne.

Louise, Victoria and Maud, the young daughters of the Prince of Wales, rarely appear in public in any but the simplest of dresses. They are sometimes seen with their mother at the theater in plain white linen or cotton sailor dresses, with a little red trimming, and they are often met riding and driving in neat sailor dresses of dark blue woolen. They went with their father and mother to the recent French fair in gowns of plain pink cambric, with sashes of crimson harmonizing with the pink.

Mr. Forrest, the English consul at Tientain, reports his belief that during the late famine in China the deaths from facts are that the interest, the variety and usefulness of a paper depend in no small degree upon the selected matter, and few men are capable of the position who would not themselves be able to write many of the articles they select. A sensible editor desires considerable pear scarcely credible were it not supparable to the control of the control o say, that a population more than twice that of Portugal was swept away within a few months. This estimate would apported by the report of Mr. Hillier, of the consular service, who has lately visited the desolated provinces,

A Bathing Adventure.

'You may talk about dilemmas,' said well-known military man at a famous watering-place, the other day, as a group of several gentlemen stood around re-lating incidents of the bath, 'but I can tell you of one into which I fell that

vershadows them all,' 'I was bathing just off the beach at this point one day last week in a new suit I had purchased. The jacket was separate from the pantaloons and the latter were not particularly tight around the waist. I ought to have strapped them on, but I didn't, and that was just where the trouble arose. Of course you know what happened; the confounded breeches when wet became a fit for an elephant, and they slid half off me just as I was swimming past a crowd from our hotel. In my frantic struggles to get them on again I ripped the seam out of one leg and I was compelled to go into deeper vater to prevent being discovered.

'Now I can't swim as well as a brick, and when I was knocked from my feet by a breaker it became a question of the moist grass, gets up wiser but condeath with those breeches in my fist, or life without them. I chose the latter. It was an awful sacrifice, but I made it and soon I scrambled further out, where I felt safe from the breakers, but not from the women. Mrs. S. and my wife called me to come float them, but I pretended not to hear them, and saw things of engrossing interest out at sea.

'I walked down the beach, where I succeeded in purchasing a long linen duster from an excursionist, and ventured out of the friendly water. And what want to say here, with all the earnestness which I am capable of expressing is, that I'll never risk my happiness in a pair of bathing pantaloons unless they are warranted to freeze to me with the tenacity of a porous plaster.'

A Herrible Fate Averted.

During a terrible wind storm the house of Mrs. Adelaide Burton, of Boxabel, N. C., was blown down and the lady covered with debris. She was finally taken out, apparently dead, and preparations made for burial. At the funeral, as the casket was being removed to the hearse, she raised up and asked what this all meant. Her sudden revival created consternation as well as joy. It was found she had only been in trance. She is perfectly well, and in a few hours was superintending the workmen clearing away her wrecked dwell-

What the Bumblebees Did.

As Mr. Smith Babb was mowing in the field at Saccarappa, Ky., he drove over a bumblebee nest, and in an instant his horses started on a run. He had no control over the animals, which, maddened by the stings of the bees, bounded through the field at a headlong gallop. Mr. Babb was thrown from his seat on the machine, but escaped with bruises. The machine was stove to pieces, and one of the horses, valued at \$200, was so severely cut by the knives that it was necessary to kill it.

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